WORD FOR 60,000 RAILROAD ENGINEERS TO STRIKE HOURLY EXPECTED

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NAVY SCOURS SEA FOR MISSING AVIATOR

HINT PERJURY AGAINST MRS. TURNBULL

Attorneys for Dead Turfman Say Woman Swore Falsely.

Judge in Previous Case Will Be Called as a Witness.

LOS ANGELES, Dec 23.—A half dozen other will contests today held off the Baldwin-Turnbull case in the Superior Court until this afternoon. Altogether they did not aggregate half the $2,500,000 involved in the issue of the attack on the late horseman's last testament, but they demanded attention, and served Mrs Lillian Turnbull a few hours further respite.

It was announced that before night the case would be adjourned until after the beginning of the new year. The attorneys for Anita Baldwin Turnbull will place a few more witnesses on the stand to show that the girl is a daughter of Baldwin. The defense will launch its effort to prove her mother's sworn statements concerning Lucky Baldwin's alleged contract of marriage were perjured.

Foundations for this were partly laid in the closing hours of the court session yesterday. They will be completed today, and when the turn of the defense comes, after the new year, for Judge Charles Slack of San Francisco, who was the presiding judge in the trial of Mrs. Turnbull's seduction case, will be called to prove that all the main points of Mrs. Turnbull's testimony in the present case are false.

All the court officers who had anything to do with the exhibits offered in evidence during Mrs Turnbull's unsuccessful $75,000 seduction suit in 1896, also will be called to support the evidence of Judge Slack They are here, but when Mrs. Turnbull was asked if she remembered them, she declared she never had seen them before.

Nearly all the exhibits consist of letters alleged to have been written by Mrs. Turnbull. In the former trial she admitted them to be genuine, but in the present case she has branded practically all of them as forgeries or doctored instruments

Seventeen more letters, all of which are alleged to have been written by Mrs. Turnbull to James R Wood, th Boston

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SITUATION BETWEEN THE ENGINEERS AND RAILROAD MANAGERS IS CRITICAL

Question Other Than Small Percentage of Wage Hinders Negotiations; Big Strike May Be Called at Any Time

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—The wage dispute between the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the sixty-one railroads north, west and south of Chicago became critical today and it was admitted that a sudden break in negotiations would not be unexpected. None of the parties to the conference—the board of railroad managers, Grand Chief Warren S. Stone of the Brotherhood or Mediator Charles P. Neill—would say anything touching upon the situation.

Elsewhere it was learned, however, that despite the fact that the two parties were only a trifling percentage of the present wage schedule apart, each saw in the efforts of the other matters of grave import which overshadowed the mere dollars and cents involved.

Long Exonerated for Killing of Gallagher

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Deputy Sheriff Chanler Long of San Mateo county was this morning exonerated by the coroner's jury for the killing of "Billy" Gallagher, proprietor of Tom's Cabin, a resort, in Alsek Greggain's cafe, 3 Turk street, Saturday night. This does not free Long, who will still have to stand trial in the police court but a verdict by the coroner's jury usually acts as a strong recommendation in the trial court. Testimony was taken before Coroner Walsh this morning and the whole tragedy rehearsed. Witnesses testified to Gallagher's striking Long before the latter fired the two shots, and the verdict of the jury was as follows:

"That the deceased, William Gallagher, came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by Charles Long, and we further find that the defendant acted in self-defense."

Fail to Identify Mob That Burned Rodriquez

SAN ANTONIO Dec. 23.—Advices from Rock Springs today state that the grand jury charged with the investigation of the burning at the stake of Antonio Rodriguez the Mexican who murdered Mrs. Jim Henderson, wife of a ranchman, the crime which immediately preceded the outbreaks against Americans in Mexico has reported to the court that it has no indictments to present.

The jury informed Judge Burny that its investigation had disclosed the fact that Rodriguez was burned as stated, but that no testimony had been presented tending to establish the men forming the mob. Secret service agents of the federal government aided in the investigation. It is said they have forwarded a special report to the State Department at Washington.

DYNAMITE PURCHASE TOLD BY MINER

Witness Tells How Dr. Burke Obtained Explosive From Foreman

Dr. Hitt Testifies That Accused Choked Lu Etta Smith Three Times

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Dec 23.—Geo Noel, one of Dr. W P. Burke's Kanaka Peak miners, who was present when Thos L. Riley demonstrated to Dr. Burke the manner of using dynamite a week before the explosion in Lu Etta Smith's tent house at the sanitarium, was the first witness called when court convened today, in the trial of the health resort owner.

Noel gave the details of the visits of Dr. Burke to the mine where he obtained dynamite, corroborating the statements made yesterday by Riley. Noel testified that Dr. Burke procured about five sticks of 40 per cent dynamite at the mine, together with a piece of fuse and a detonating cap.

RELUCTANTLY GAVE IT.

On cross-examination Noel testified that the mine foreman was reluctant about giving Dr. Burke the dynamite, as the supply at the mine was low. Dr. Burke, however, insisted upon having the explosive. He took the package containing the sticks of dynamite and started down the mountain toward Oroville

In the cross-examination the defense sought to impress the point that Dr Burke had not attempted to make his trip to procure the dynamite a secret.

Dr. A. W. Hitt was the next witness called to the stand.

At the time of the explosion he was the chief physician at the sanitarium, and he told in detail of the ob-

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Frantic Search Made for Birdman Believed to Have Been Drowned

CECIL GRACE, who it is feared has fallen into North Sea.



FEAR FATAL ENDING FOR INTREPID AIRMAN, GRACE

He Had Flown From Dover Across English Channel to Belgian Frontier and Was Returning When Lost in Dense Fog

LONDON, Dec. 23.—There was no news today of the fate of Cecil S. Grace, the American aviator, who disappeared in the fog while attempting a return flight from Calais, France, to Dover yesterday. It is feared that he fell into the North Sea. A great fleet of motor cars was out all night, searching every nook of the east coast of England, while warships scattered along the shores and dotting the North Sea swept the waters with wireless inquiry concerning the air man. These futile efforts continued today.

Grace went out for the Baron de Forrest prize of $20,000 offered to the British aviator who, in a British made aeroplane should cover the greatest distance, including the passage of the English Channel, during the present year.

T. Zepwith had set a mark of 174 miles. Grahame-White prepared for the competition, but met with an accident before he could get under way. The days during which the record of Zepwith might be eclipsed were few, and Grace decided to try yesterday in the face of adverse weather conditions A heavy fog hung over the channel and obscured the aviator soon after he ascended at Dover.

He crossed the channel safely and two hours and a half from the start passed over Calais. He reached the Belgian frontier and was going fast after Zepwith's figures when he encountered adverse winds that compelled him to turn back. He alighted west of Calais At 2:10 o'clock again going up he pointed his aeroplane toward Dover.

AGAIN HIDDEN IN FOG.

Grace was soon again enveloped in the fog, which had become dense. Those who saw the start say he took a northeasterly course. It is evident that he lost his bearings, for had he had his proper direction he would have reached Dover without trouble; he had the power and his aeroplane must have behaved well. Instead of approaching Dover, he was sighted later far to the northeast, over the Goodwin Sands, the exceedingly dangerous shoals which extend off the southeast coast of England, some seven miles east of Deal.

At this point the airman made a grave mistake in his reckoning, for with land but a few miles to the west he veered to the east, and when last seen was heading over the North Sea. At this point he was swallowed up by the fog and since then, except for the negative inferences to be deducted from the absence of news, nothing whatever has transpired to throw light on his whereabouts.

FALSE REPORTS.

A false report that he had landed at Deal for a time cheered anxious friends, but when this was disproved every possible resource was appealed to for him.

Many vessels arrived from the North Sea during the day, but none brought word of Grace

Particular interest is felt in the present adventure, as Grace is a sportsman aviator rather than a professional flier. He has broken no world's records, but has made some notable flights

Grace was born in Chile about thirty years ago, the son of the late John Grace, of the banking house of W. R. Grace and company, New York. Former Mayor Grace of the American metropolis, was his uncle He was graduated from Columbia university, and when his parents came to this country to live he studied at Oxford.

IDENTIFIED WITH SPORTS.

Since the death of his father he has made his home with his mother here. He has long been identified in sports, and is a member of the Royal Aero club. Like most aviators, he has had a few tumbles, but none proved serious He first attracted attention when his aeroplane suddenly appeared out of the haze and maneuvered over the British warships anchored off Sherness.

The start that he gave the navy emphasized the possibility of airships as instruments of war. He used a Wright machine at the time, and after leaving the harbor flew 50 miles in 51 minutes rising at one time to a height of 1500 feet This was on April 30 last, and more recently he had given several splendid exhibitions.

BODIES FOUND IN CHICAGO FURNACE

Blackened Corpses Pulled Out of Burned Stockyards Warehouse.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Firemen early this afternoon announced that they were confident that they had the stock yards fire, which yesterday brought death to Fire Marshal James Horan and twenty-three others, under control, and that they believed they would be able to save the warehouse No. 5, the third of immense structures to be attacked by the fire.

Warehouses Nos. 6 and 7 were destroyed with their stocks, a tallow house is a complete loss, but the fire wall between warehouse no 5 and the destroyed buildings was standing this afternoon.

The discovery later in the afternoon of the body of Engine Captain Dennis Doyle brought the police list of recovered dead up to twenty-three.

The twenty-fourth man believed dead, and whose body also has not been recovered, is a private fireman for Morris and company. Business men today planned the creation of a permanent endowment fund of $350,000 to care for the widows and children of the firemen.

CHICAGO, Dec 23.—Two more bodies were recovered today from the ruins of the Morris & Co. stockyards beefhouse, where Fire Marshal Horan lost his life. This brings the death roll, according to the police count, to twenty, and it is believed there are at least five others still buried in the debris

Through the night fire was shooting high through the roof of two Morris buildings adjoining the one in ruins. Early today, though still burning, the fire was considered under control.

Relief committees met today to formulate plans to raise funds in aid of the

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WOMAN SHOT BY LOS ANGELES CONTRACTOR

Quarrel Over Charge of Theft of Money Has Tragic Outcome

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—As a result of a quarrel during which robbery was charged, W. H Harris, a building contractor, shot Mrs Dagnar Carroll last night. The woman, who came here recently from Ephriam, Utah, is not expected to live.

A party composed of four were about to start for an automobile ride from a local hotel when Harris charged that money had been stolen from him.

During the quarrel Harris drew a revolver, and when Mrs. Carroll dared him to shoot he fired. Harris was arrested and at the police station the full amount of money he claimed to have had was found on his person.

172 INDICTMENTS IN THIS ELECTION CASE

This Brings the Total to 523 and 1500 More Are Yet Expected.

WEST UNION, O., Dec 23.—Additional indictments to the number of 172 were returned in court here today by the grand jury of Adams county, which is investigating traffic in votes at the November election. This brings the total of indictments to 523, and it is predicted that 1500 more men of the county will be named in true bills before the grand jury is dissolved.

Of the indicted men 75 have thus far pleaded guilty, been fined $.5 and costs each, disfranchised for five years, and given suspended sentences of six months in the workhouse

The list of culprits includes Republicans and Democrats in about equal numbers.

KILLED IN PISTOL DUEL

Deputy Marshal and His Brother Have Street Battle with Enemies.

MOUNT STERLING Ky., Dec 23.—Clinton Allen, deputy United States marshal, and his brother, Walter, were shot to death in a pistol fight here last night with James Tipton, a special policeman, and Michael Gibbons, a saloonkeeper. The battle took place in front of Gibbons' saloon.

According to witnesses, Clinton Allen and Tipton quarreled and when the federal officer drew a revolver the policeman took it away from him and shot him dead Walter Allen then drew a revolver and was killed by Gibbons Gibbons and Tipton were arrested.

Murder Mystery in Death of Inspector

WELLINGTON, Kan., Dec. 23.—Amos Rhodes, 40 years of age car inspector for the Santa Fe Railroad Company, was found murdered in his home here today. The family is out of town on a visit. The murder was committed with a hatchet. Carl Porter, 21 years old, of Ringwood, Okla., was arrested. He has been identified as the man who went home with Rhodes last night.

WILD GAME IS PROPERTY OF EVERYONE

Court Holds Land Owners Can Not Keep Hunters Away

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—A decision of interest to sportsmen and involving the right of hunters to pursue game on the lands of private owners was handed down in the third district court of appeals today and incidentally reverses the decision of the Napa county superior court in the case of Edward H. Forestier against Frank Johnson et al The lower court found in favor of Johnson.

The original case involved the alleged trespass of Johnson and others to hunt on certain premises owned by Forestier in Napa county and known as "Fly Bay." Forestier had purchased his land from the state and had adequate title. The contention was that he had no right to keep hunters from going on it to hunt on "Fly Bay" which was classified as navigable waters

In handing down the decision, which was concurred in by Judges Hart and Chipman, Judge Burnett held that the issue involved was similar to the former case of Kellogg against King, where the question of private proprietorship in wild game and the right of the owner of the property to exclude from his premises those in quest of game, received thorough and elaborate consideration and it was held "the wild game of the state belongs to the people in their sovereign capacity and is not subject to private dominion to any greater extent than the people through the legislature may see fit to make."

Man's Body Found Floating in Water

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The body of an unidentified man, 5 feet 9 inches tall, and evidently about 40 years old, was found floating in the bay off the wharf of the Pope & Talbot Lumber Company at the foot of Second street this morning.

$350,000 BLAZE SWEEPS NEW ORLEANS

Three Big Business Houses Go Up in Smoke; Toledo Explosion Damages

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—In a fire which started early this morning in Bayonne street, between Lafayette and Poydras, and which was not out until 10 o'clock, three large business houses were destroyed with loss estimated at $350,000. The Shubert theater was slightly damaged

The firms which suffered the heaviest losses are the Union Furniture company, E F Hansel and company, stationers, and Schwartz-Eustic company, furnishings.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 23.—Fire today which followed an explosion of unknown origin, destroyed the building occupied by the Toledo Biscuit company. Loss, $225,000.

Stop Thief! Morgan's Turkeys Are Stolen

Fowls Valued at $2 Pound Missing From Estate; Friends Are the Losers.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Dec. 23. — J. Pierpont Morgan, the financier, will this year be unable to maintain his annual custom of presenting to each of his most intimate friends a choice turkey. This is due to a robbery on Morgan's estate, "Cragston," at Highland Falls, last night.

Despite the close watch kept on the property, somebody succeeded in entering the poultry yards and appropriated fourteen turkeys, aggregating in weight about 300 pounds. The turkeys were imported stock and valued at about $2 a pound.

Tetrazzini Sells Seals For the Red Cross Cause

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—A gala event took place this afternoon at the Palace Hotel when Mme. Tetrazzini, the far famed song bird, the guest of San Francisco society, began the sale of Red Cross seals under the auspices of the American National Red Cross.

The affair was noteworthy by reason of the presence of a large number of citizens and society belles and matrons, who assisted in an impromptu reception to the distinguished singer, and who basked in the sunshine of her contagious smile and enjoyed her hearty and gracious demeanor in dispensing the little Christmas stamps which have gone so far to aid the eradication of tuberculosis.

Italian Consul Rocca was on hand and Mrs. Carroll B. Buck was hostess to Mme Tetrazzini at tea. Mrs Buck was assisted in receiving by Mrs. James Potter Langhorne, and the singer was escorted to the palm garden of the hotel where the affair was held, by Mrs. John F Merrill

The management of the hostelry did everything possible to make the affair a success, and the brisk sale of stamps which in each instance were handed to the purchasers by Mme. Tetrazzini herself, indicate that a substantial sum will be realized

APE HIT BY CAR WHILE OUT SHOPPING

Big Ben Leaves Show, Joins Holiday Throng and Is Run Down on Street

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—"Big Ben," a huge long-tailed Sumatra ape, had a human experience today when he got away from a jungle show on South Main street, joined the Christmas shoppers on the street, collided with a street car and wound up at a hospital with a possible fracture of the skull, and other serious injuries.

Ben created a commotion when he first joined the throng. He started across the street when a car hit him, knocking him senseless.

$50 TEMPORARY ALIMONY ALLOWED MRS. McILROY

Mrs. J A. McIlroy was this morning granted $50 per month temporary alimony, $250 for counsel fees, and $25 costs of suit pending the settlement of her suit for absolute divorce from J. A. McIroy on the grounds of extreme cruelty.

Cook Asks Protection Of American People

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 — Dr. Frederick A. Cook from a temporary refuge at the home of his brother in Brooklyn, telephoned today to his interviewers that he intended to devote his life to convincing the American people that he really thought he had reached the North Pole. When the traveler arrived last night from Europe he announced that he would go to the Waldorf-Astoria to spend the night. Instead, he went to the home of his brother in Brooklyn.

Asked over the telephone today if he was going to stay in this country, Dr. Cook said: "Certainly I am, most certainly I am. I never had any other intention than to return to my native land I am an American citizen entitled to protection under the American flag, and I expect to claim that protection My wife and my two children, who are now abroad, will shortly rejoin me and we will make our home here."

Old State Officers to Receive a Day's Salary

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—A question regarding the time that new state officials take office has been decided by State Controller Nye.

He has decided that warrants shall be issued to the present state officers for one day's work in January, who will receive 1-30 of the regular salary, and that the new officers will receive 29-30 of the regular salary for their first month in office.

He anticipates that the new officials will go into office and the old officials out at noon January 2 He announces he will pay 1-30 of the annary salary to the outgoing officers.

Los Angeles Chief of Police Criticized; Resigns

LOS ANGELES, Dec 23.—Chief of Police Alexander Galloway today tendered his resignation and Lieutenant of Police C. E. Sebastian will succeed him on January 1. Chief Galloway's resignation was caused by criticism directed against his department alleging incompetency and inefficiency.

DEATH WHISPERED WARNING TO FIRE MARSHAL HORAN

Better Buildings Needed in Stockyards Chicago Victim Said, Two Days Before Death

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widows and orphans. Fifty thousand dollars has been already pledged.

As the members of ten engine companies were playing water on warehouse No. 6, where the flames broke out afresh today, the walls collapsed. Captain John Wyndheim of engine company No. 64 was knocked down by flying timbers and seriously injured. In the confusion William Sheridan, 18 years of age, a clerk in the stockyards, was knocked off a platform and perhaps fatally injured.

From warehouse No. 6 the flames were leaping to other buildings today, and just before retiring from the scene, because of exhaustion, Acting Chief Seyferlich said he saw no way of preventing the burning of warehouse No. 5.

FIREMEN RETREAT.

The falling of the walls and the scattering of burning timbers caused a temporary retreat of the firemen. The men were lined up to throw water on a point in warehouse No. 5. Suddenly, when the walls toppled, the alarm was given for the men to retire. They reached safety just in time, although many of them received minor burns. Sheridan, the clerk, was knocked off a high platform, falling on the back of a passing fireman.

The work recovering bodies continued with renewed vigor. Five or six firemen are still missing, and until the ruins are cooled it will be impossible to tell exactly the number of dead. It was thought, however, that it would not be more than twenty-six.

At noon the fire department was still unable to say that the blaze was under control.

PUBLIC FUNERAL.

Fire Marshal James Horan and the others who met death, will be given a public funeral, which will have something of a military character. The common council, a regiment of cavalry, a squadron of mounted police and platoons of police and firemen on foot, with public bodies and semi-public organizations, will lead the concourse of citizens who are expected to ask to be permitted to show their affection for "Big Jim."

The city will pay for all funeral expenses, supply free medical aid to the injured, and continue for at least six months the pay of firemen killed.

HAD PREMONITION.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Fire Marshal James Horan, who lost his life in the stock yards fire yesterday, told the city council building committee last Wednesday that he did not care how high buildings were in the downtown district, but what was needed was better buildings at the stock yards.

The marshal was a great lover of children. In his desk at the city hall yesterday were more than one hundred requests for the flooding of back lots for skating rinks. Each letter bears the "O. K." of the dead chief, who was planning to send out members of the department to hasten the making of the rinks so that Chicago's youngsters might enjoy their Christmas vacation to the full.

"SKATING OF THEIR LIVES."

"We are going to have an old fashioned winter," said the chief a day or two ago, "and I'm going to give the kids of Chicago the skating of their lives."

Horan was a baseball enthusiast and witnessed the most of the big league games in this city.

He also went to Philadelphia as the guest of President B. B. Johnson, of the American league, during the world's series.

In place of happy Christmas gatherings, there will be funerals in many Chicago homes. One of the most pitiable aftermaths of the stock yards fire was the scene of the home of William Weber, a member of engine company No. 59, and one of the victims. His company was one of the first at the fire and he was killed by the falling of the first wall.

LETTERS TO SANTA.

When his bruised and blackened corpse was taken from the ruins, three little letters to Santa Claus in children's handwriting and a list of presents he was to buy were found in his pocket. He was to have been off duty at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and had intended spending the day uptown buying presents.

Word of his death was taken to his home at 10 o'clock. In the parlor of his home his widow and three children were busy unpacking household furniture, they having just moved into the home. A Christmas tree had been one of the first things to be put in the parlor. At noon when the body was taken to the home, the little tapers that had stood unlighted on the tree were lighted and placed at the head of the coffin.

SAD FAMILY REUNION.

Instead of the family reunion and a merry Christmas which was to have been celebrated in the home of William Moriarity, the funeral service will be held over the body of Albert J. Moriarity, member of truck company No. 11, who perished in the fire.

William Moriarity, a member of a Southern baseball team, and George, third baseman of the Detroit Tigers, brothers of the dead fireman, reached the fire in time to see a number of bodies taken from the ruins, and a few minutes later identified that of their brother.

$150,000 to Be Given To Dead's Dependents

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Long before the streams of water had ceased playing on the smouldering pyre at the stock yards, Chicago business men and the city authorities sent out an appeal for relief for the widows and orphans of the firemen who met death in the catastrophe. The goal of $150,000 was set, and it was predicted that this would be overstepped. Pledges of more than $50,000 were made last night by business interests in the downtown district, and an appeal to the public to assist in swelling the fund will be made by a business men's committee today. Packing concerns in the stock yards district last night made known their intention of subscribing $10,000 each to the fund.

Corporation Council E. J. Brundage explained that the firemen's pension funds provides that the widow shall receive $35 a month as long as she remains unmarried, that each child shall receive $8 a month up to the age of 16 years, and that a dependent father or mother shall receive $25 a month, the beneficiaries, however, not to receive a monthly aggregate of more than one-half the salary of the deceased.

Fire Calls Swamp Telephone Exchanges

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Never before in the history of the Chicago Telephone company has there occurred such an emergency as yesterday, when in the busiest week of the year and in the busy morning hours, there came an avalanche of inquiries about the stock yards fire.

Unusual rushes began to be experienced in all exchanges shortly after 8 o'clock. By 8 o'clock the forty-five trunks leading to the city hall private branch exchange switchboard were swamped with calls. At that time an order was given to every telephone operator in the city to answer all calls with the information that Chief Horan and probably twenty of his men had been killed in the fire. As the busy hours of 10 and 11 o'clock approached this answer was given, it is estimated, at the rate of 200,000 calls per hour.

The company estimated the total calls for the day at 2,000,000, or nearly one hundred per cent above the normal.

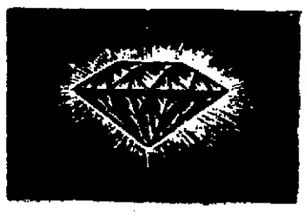
Philadelphia Fire Numbered 14 Victims

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23.—The number of dead as a result of the leather factory fire of Wednesday night, stands at fourteen, with all firemen and policemen accounted for.

Reports from the hospitals were encouraging today, and it is thought the injured firemen and policemen will recover.

The condition of William Glazier, who was pinned beneath the ruins for more than twelve hours, is much improved.

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MRS. MARTIN'S FATE WITH JURY

Arguments Closed This Morning; Court Made Charge at 2 O'clock.

Prosecution Praises Her as a Clever Woman in Closing Case.

Judge Wells this afternoon consumed about thirty minutes in making his charge to the jury. They retired at 2:35 o'clock.

Seemingly upon the verge of a physical breakdown, Mrs. Isabella J. Martin appeared in Judge Wells' court this morning to hear the closing argument of the prosecution. During the address of Assistant District Attorney Hynes, she made few interjections and those in a feeble manner, as if wearied and worn from the long trial in which she is attempting to prove her innocence of dynamiting the home of Superior Judge Ogden March 19, 1907.

Every seat in the courtroom was taken when the case was called. Throughout the remainder of the morning the stillness was broken only by an occasional hacking cough of the defendant or a slight rustle in the lobby, except for the voice of the prosecuting attorney, who attempted to present the case in a manner that would leave no question as to the guilt of the defendant.

During his argument he characterized the defendant as one of the best informed women in the city and paid tribute to the manner in which she had made her appeal.

"She has brought you down through the ages of history and shown herself to have been familiar with the noted women criminals, such as Lucrezia Borgia and Lady Macbeth and I believe that there are few phases of life with which she is not familiar."

Reference was made to the Westchester case, to the Dingee letter and bomb. Finally, in speaking of the "six page" letter purported to have been written by Mrs. Martin, Hynes said:

"Gentlemen, if you believe that she wrote that letter then you know she had something to do with the dynamiting."

Court adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the judge's charge to the jury was made.

BEAT VATICAN BY PASSAGE OF BILL

Madrid Chamber of Deputies Get Through Famous "Padlock" Law.

MADRID, Dec. 23.—After a stormy all night session the Chamber of Deputies passed the government's "Padlock Bill" by a vote of 108 to 20.

This is a notable victory for Premier Canalejas, after a bitter fight involving the opposition and the Vatican, who disapproved the legislation before it had been submitted to the cortes.

As originally drawn the bill prohibited the creation of further religious establishments in the country until the revision of the Concordat had been completed, or definite laws passed. In the senate the government accepted the amendment of Baron Sacre Lirio limiting the period of interdiction against new congregations to two years.

The senate passed the measure November 4 by a vote of 149 to 58. Its passage in the lower house was expected. Objection to the measure by the Holy See was based on the contention that whereas negotiations were under way for the revision of the concordat of 1851, Spain could not in good faith adopt any legislation adversely affecting the congregations until these negotiations had been concluded.

It was claimed that in the meantime the status quo should be maintained. Canalejas insisted on a program of religious liberty, and maintained that the matter covered by the "Padlock Bill" was not properly a subject of diplomatic exchange between Madrid and Rome. In this attitude he appeared to have the support of King Alfonso. Much bitterness was engendered, and Canalejas, himself an avowed Catholic, bore the brunt of the Clerical opposition.

As as consequence of the unchanged position of the government and the Vatican, negotiations over the concordat were interrupted, and the relations between Madrid and the Holy See severely strained.

Alameda Councilman Father of 14-lb Boy

Advent of Bouncing Son Into Family Causes Official Much Pride.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—Councilman E. J. Probst is no longer the most important member of his family, as his position has been usurped by a young Probst—possibly a future councilman—for Mrs. Probst gave birth to a 14-pound boy at a local sanitarium this morning. The councilman is so proud that he is seriously thinking of running for mayor in April. Probst Jr. is the first baby that has gladdened the Probst household and the happy father spent most of the day receiving congratulations. Mother and son are both doing well.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mrs. HouseKeeper!

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DYNAMITE INTRODUCED INTO DR. BURKE TRIAL

Damaging Evidence Given Against the Accused Physician, Who Leaves Court Looking Worried

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servances he made at the time of both Dr. Burke and Lu Etta Smith.

The witness told of a ride which he took with Dr. Burke from Fulton to the sanitarium a few days before the explosion. He said that Dr. Burke carried a satchel at the time with such care that he was led to believe that it contained dynamite.

Dr. Hitt then testified that Dr. Burke had choked Lu Etta Smith on three different occasions when she had accused him of being the father of her child. At the time Dr. Burke told the witness that he considered himself the spiritual father of the child. The witness also declared that Dr. Burke had told him that Miss Smith would blow herself up.

JURIST THREATENED.

Anonymous letters threatening them with death have been received by Superior Judge Emmet Seawell, District Attorney Clarence Lee and Dr. Addison W. Hitt, one of the prosecution's principal witnesses.

Judge Seawell was told that his house would be dynamited if the case against Dr. Burke were prosecuted. The letter received by Lea told him that his home would be burned to the ground if he did not cause his efforts in attempting to convict the sanitarium proprietor, and Dr. Hitt has been threatened with murder.

Dr. Hitt was in New York a few weeks ago when he received the anonymous communication. The letter warned Hitt that if he returned to Santa Rosa to testify against Dr. Burke he would be "done up."

HITT HURLS DEFI.

"The threatening letter only made me want to come back all the more," said Dr. Hitt in discussing the affair this morning. "The communication was unsigned, but was plainly an attempt to intimidate me so that I would not return to Santa Rosa.

"District Attorney Lee got a letter telling him to drop the case or his house would be burned to the ground, and he told me that Judge Seawell was informed in an similar anonymous letter that his home would be dynamited if the case against Dr. Burke were not dropped.

"No kind of intimidation will deter me from testifying in this trial."

TELLS DAMAGING STORY.

After Sheriff Smith had answered a few questions to lay a foundation for the testimony to follow, Thomas L. Riley, the Kanaka Peak miner, was called to the stand. He is now a resident of Butte county, having quit the employ of Dr. Burke, since he testified against the sanatorium owner. Riley took on the stand that Dr. Burke arrived at the Kanaka Peak mine late in January of this year, and after showing him some blue prints of a new stamp mill he proposed erecting turned the conversation to dynamite and its use.

For the purpose of showing Dr. Burke just how dynamite was used, Riley fixed a detonating cap on the end of a fuse, inserted it into a stick of 40 per cent nitroglycerin dynamite, lighted the fuse and tossed the explosive over the mine dump to explode.

Later, Riley testified, Dr. Burke got a package of dynamite to take with him to his sanatorium to blow out a bowlder in the creek there, he explained. Dr. Burke also took with him a piece of fuse with a cap already attached, which he put in his pocket with the dynamite and left the mine. The fuse and cap were fixed for Burke by Riley.

IDENTIFIES FUSE.

The witness identified the piece of fuse found at Lu Etta Smith's tenthouse after the explosion as the same kind as that which he gave Dr. Burke and the same size and length.

While at the Kanaka Peak mine a short time later, Dr. Burke was asked by Riley if he had succeeded in blowing up the bowlder, and Dr. Burke replied that he had blown it up.

At the conclusion of Riley's direct testimony, John Bermingham Jr. was called to the stand before the cross-examination of Riley, as Bermingham wished to catch an early train back to San Francisco.

Bermingham, after qualifying as a witness, testified that he made the first gelatin dynamite manufactured in California in 1896, and then gave the ingredients of the dynamite. After answering that he had examined the bedding and cloth from Miss Smith's tenthouse, Bermingham testified: "I could detect that dynamite had been exploded in close proximity to those clothes."

DYNAMITE LEFT ODOR.

Bermingham explained that the odor was easily distinguishable from that of other explosives. Bermingham also visited the tenthouse at the sanatorium, he testified, soon after the explosion and found what he considered unmistakable evidence of a dynamite explosion. Although the attorneys for the defense cross-examined Bermingham rigidly, he showed a marvelous memory of the various dynamite formulas, the quickness of the explosion of each and the manner in which each might be exploded.

Riley was called to the stand at the conclusion of Bermingham's testimony and then commenced a rigid cross-examination. There were numerous tilts between Riley, who proved a belligerent witness, and Attorney Leppo for the defense. However, Riley stuck to his story and insisted that Dr. Burke had secured dynamite at the Kanaka Peak mine and had secured there instructions as to its use.

DYNAMITE IN CASE.

Dynamite, the explosive with which Dr. Willard P. Burke is declared to have blown up the tent house of Lu Etta Smith and her baby, at his sanatorium, February 5, 1910, occupied the attention of the jury for a considerable time yesterday. Heretofore, motives of the crime, spiritual affinities, strange religious cults and weird ideas have been dealt in, all going to form the motive of the crime. Yesterday the prosecution went directly to the heart of the case in an endeavor to show that Dr. Burke procured dynamite, learned how to use it, took it to his sanatorium and then exploded it.

The testimony was by far the most damaging that has been given against the health resort owner since his trial started. He left the courtroom this evening looking worried for the first time, and Mrs. Burke appeared more grave than usual as she was assisted down the Court House steps by her aged consort.

MINER ON STAND.

Thomas L. Riley, a practical miner, who was an employe of Dr. Burke at the physician's mine at Kanaka peak, twenty-six miles from Oroville, gave the most important testimony yet adduced at the trial.

Riley reviewed the doctor's visit to his mine in Butte county, told of showing the physician how to use dynamite to blow a bowlder from a creek at the health resort, and of fixing a cap and fuse to explode the dynamite. Finally he identified a piece of the fuse as being the same as taken by Dr. Burke from the Kanaka Peak mine.

Sheriff John K. Smith and John Bermingham Jr., a dynamite expert, were the other two witnesses examined. The examination of the Sheriff occupied the entire morning and a few minutes of the afternoon session. The examination of Riley and Bermingham took up the whole afternoon, Riley's cross-examination ending short after 5 o'clock.

MAKES EXPERIMENT.

During the testimony yesterday, it developed that District Attorney Clarence F. Lee, Sheriff Smith and Miner Riley constructed a portion of a tent at a rock quarry east of Santa Rosa last Tuesday morning and at the side of it exploded four sticks of dynamite as an experiment. The object was to show the effect of the dynamite upon a canvas tent such as the one occupied by Lu Etta Smith. The details of that experiment were not allowed to go to the jury, but the jurors did examine the tent cloth to compare the stains made upon it with the stains made upon the cloth of Lu Etta Smith's tenthouse.

It was brought out that the District Attorney, Sheriff and Riley builded their tent-house as similar as possible to the one blown up on the sanatorium grounds and placed by its side four sticks of dynamite, the number which the District Attorney believes he will show were exploded at Miss Smith's tent-house.

The introduction of the testimony relative to the experiment came as a surprise in court yesterday as no one outside the three who had charge of it knew the facts.

BABY IS THROWN FROM WINDOW BY MOTHER

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Herbert in by fire in an upper story today, Mrs. E. J. Cox tied her year-old baby between two pillows and threw the infant out of a window.

The bundle was caught by a neighbor, who then climbed a porch and assisted Mrs. Cox across a slippery roof and down to the street.

The woman's home was destroyed.

Housecleaning Pays This Woman $4000

A Fortune Hidden by Relative Years Ago Found by Newark Housekeeper.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 23. — No one in this section of the State has found house cleaning more profitable than has Miss Ida Simonson, who got $4000 as the result of her annual overhauling of her homestead in Vernon, N. J.

While cleaning a closet she lifted a loose board in the floor and brought to light the treasure, $500 in gold and the remainder in bills of large denomination. The money was probably hidden there about forty years ago by a relative who died soon after.

Cruiser Fleet Is Back From Target Practice

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The Pacific cruiser fleet, commanded by Rear-Admiral Barry, returned to this port today after several weeks of target practice off the Southern California coast.

The armored cruisers composing the fleet are the flagship West Virginia, California, Colorado, South Dakota, Pennsylvania and Maryland.

They will remain in the harbor during the holiday season.

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A SHOE ORDER ALWAYS USEFUL

PERJURY HINTED IN WILL CONTEST

Attorneys for Dead Horseman Say Mrs. Turnbull Swore Falsely.

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detective, were shown to Mrs. Turnbull. As often as presented, she repeated:

"I denounce that as a forgery."

Some times the answer was amplified to, "a forgery, an atrocious forgery by James R. Wood."

The proceedings grew monotonous, as this same reply followed each question of Cross-examiner McNab. Many spectators at the trial left the court, the room being less crowded then it has been since the case began.

When the 17th letter was presented, Mrs. Turnbull said:

"That looks like my handwriting, but that bunch of atrocious thieves, perjurers and forgers perpetrated so many outrages, I cannot be sure. I don't believe it is."

FOUR DAYS ON STAND.

Mrs. Turnbull's long cross-examination at the hands of counsel for the estate was practically completed yesterday. She has had four days of it, but all that now remains is the laying of foundations for impeaching her testimony regarding the contract marriage, on which is based her daughter's contest for a share of Lucky Baldwin's millions.

The proceedings yesterday had nothing of excitement or surprise to keep interest from waning. Spectators grew few and the jurymen appeared as if bored and weary. There were only a few breaks in the monotony. Once was when Mrs. Turnbull denied seriatim the letters which the defense in the present case expects to prove she admitted were genuine in her former suit against Baldwin.

Again when she admitted that she had been known as Mabel Garrison before she met Baldwin in 1891, and when she further admitted that although she had never taken proceedings to have the alleged contract marriage to Baldwin annulled, she yet went through the marriage ceremony with Dr. Turnbull of Boston five years ago as Lillian A. Ashley.

Attorney Gavin McNab, who continued the cross-examination, went over the ground covered yesterday concerning whether Baldwin had ever introduced Mrs. Turnbull as Mrs. Baldwin, his wife, at any time after the alleged marriage in March, 1893. Mrs. Turnbull gave the same replies as yesterday, but finally McNab's persistence was rewarded, and, saying that his queries had refreshed her memory, Mrs. Turnbull told him this:

CALLED HER MOTHER.

"One evening during a dinner given in my honor by Clara Harold (now Mrs. Stocker), Mr. Baldwin's daughter, she came to where Mr. Baldwin and I were sitting, called me Lily, and then said something significant as she drew our heads together."

"Don't you know the real Mrs. Baldwin's first name was Lily, too," interrupted Attorney Garrett McEnerney.

"May I tell you what else she whispered?" responded Mrs. Turnbull. "She whispered 'Mother.'"

"And, knowing, as she did, that Mr. Baldwin already had a wife, did she not laugh when she called you mother?" asked McNab.

"She did not!" snapped the witness.

More of the letters she is alleged to have written the Boston detective, James R. Wood, prior to her seduction suit against Baldwin in 1896, were reintroduced. As on previous days, she pronounced these ghosts of the past counterfeit wraiths, shrouded and draped to suit the convenience of the attorneys for the Baldwin estate by Wood.

SEEKS COLLEGE MEN WHO STOLE SIGN

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—Edward Frederickson, who is connected with a cigar store at 2314½ Telegraph avenue, declares he is certain of the identity of two college students who stole a sign from the front of his stand at 2:20 o'clock yesterday morning. He threatens to prosecute them on charges of petty larceny as soon as he can point them out to the police and have them arrested.

Frederickson says he does not know the names of the youths, but has seen them around the corner of Bancroft way and Telegraph avenue frequently. He says he saw them disappearing down Telegraph avenue with the sign early this morning.



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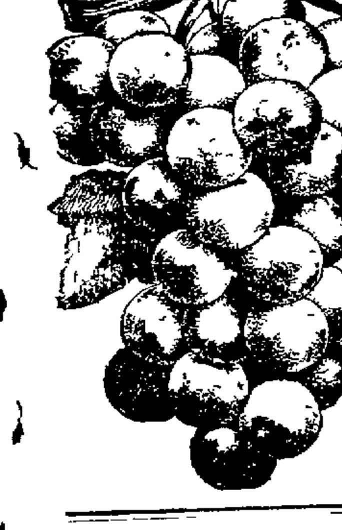
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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SPLIT BY RUMORS OF POLITICS

Opposition Ticket May Be Put in the Field for the Election of Directors

The feeling that a great mistake was made in dropping several influential men from the directorate of the Oakland chamber of commerce as forecasted by the candidates nominated by the special committee for that purpose is being expressed by the older members of the organization and there is every probability that this feeling will crystallize into organized opposition and the placing of a new ticket in the field

CHARGE OF POLITICS

Accusations that the present situation is the result of a faction in the chamber of commerce doing politics in a most reckless manner are made and the excuse that it is the policy of the organization to have an infusion of new blood each year by a slight change in the directorate is scouted as a broken reed on which to depend for the explanation of the dropping of such men as M J Layrance Edwin Meese W J Gibson and the earlier intention to drop President A S McKay

GIST OF CRITICISM

That the present criticism that is being made of the chamber of commerce is a result of the activities of the progress and prosperity committee making an effort to have the tail wag the dog is the declaration of one of the old members of the organization The less pleasant charge that certain interests through representatives on the proposed directorate are making every effort to gain control of the central legislative body of the chamber is also being freely made about the streets and although denied by the members of the nominating committee is given some color and weight by the number of men who have put it forward

CLASH IS INEVITABLE

That a clash is inevitable and is to be met by the younger set in the chamber with a clever counter move was indicated today by the sending out of a number of letters to businessmen and others in Oakland asking them to join the chamber of commerce These letters were sent out ostensibly by the progress and prosperity committee but instead of the answers being made returnable to Secretary Cole of the progress and prosperity committee at the chamber of commerce the return envelopes were addressed C F Gorman Union Savings Bank

CONSIDERED SIGNIFICANT

This action on the part of Gorman of the Progress and Prosperity Committee is considered peculiarly significant since feeling is running high and the action may be misinterpreted by many in the chamber who regard the committee as guilty of doing politics to gain control Because it is considered that the city is passing through a crucial stage in its development it is considered peculiarly unfortunate that schism should be introduced to break up the splendid unity of work that has marked the history of the Chamber of Commerce

Great credit is given by the older members to the Progress and Prosperity Committee for its work in the past but the larger organization of which it forms a part gains its prestige from the presence of men of marked ability and standing in the community and it is felt that these should continue to assist in directing the destinies of that body

OPPOSITION INDICATED

That the sending out of requests for new members made returnable to Chairman Gorman instead of through the regular channels is in the nature of a preparation to meet any attempt to put an opposition ticket with new blood in the chamber is felt to indicate that such an opposition ticket is likely to be put in the field before the election

The present nominees were named by a committee which served as a nominating committee last year with the exception of Gorman It has been the custom for the nominating committee to be excluded from eligibility to the directorate but this year as a result of a special request of the progress and prosperity committee Gorman was made a candidate although a member of the nominating committee

It was at first proposed to leave out the name of President Mackie when making the nominations but so great was the storm that was aroused by this proposal that it was dropped

DID NOT WANT PLACE

J Tyrell a well known local real estate man and one of the directors dropped on the new ticket stated this morning that his name had been left off at his own request as he favored the plan of having new blood in the organization with each successive year He expressed the greatest surprise however that the nominating committee had left out the names of Edwin Meese Professor Gibson and M J Layrance stating that he considered them among the brightest minds and the most influential members of the old board of directors He said

It has been suggested that Mr Layrance was not so valuable as a member of the directorate because he has been forced to absent himself from several committee meetings This may be true but when he is present and he is always willing to be there when an important matter is under consideration his work is worth that of any three other men Professor Gibson is also a man of splendid standing in the community and is fearless in expressing his opinion and working for what he thinks is right He has been faithful in his attendance at all meetings and I cannot see why his name was left out by the nominating committee

It is also strange that City Treasurer Meese should have been dropped as he has been in his position as a member of the finance committee recognized as the watch dog of the treasury He has been considered as a man who kept the chamber on a sound financial basis by his sage advice"

STATEMENT BY LEET

When asked this morning why his name was dropped from the nominating committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce Mr R A Leet stated

The only reason that I can at the present time give for the dropping of my name and the names of several of the other members of the committee is that the directors found better men in their idea than we are I fervently hope for the good of the city that they have The nominating committee at the present is composed of some of the best business men in the city and they ought to make one of the best boards that the chamber has ever had But whether they will or not still remains to be seen

Many people are of the opinion that there is some hidden reason for the dropping of our names but I am willing to differ with those statements for I think that the directors found a better group of men to fill our places That is a group of men who can do more for the city than can we

AT HIS OWN REQUEST

It was at my own request said J H Clay this morning that I was omitted from the ticket in the Chamber of Commerce The reasons for my wishing to retire were fully stated in a letter which I sent to Fred Kahn It is my belief that every man who serves on the directorate of a body should make it his duty to take an active part in all its transactions and devote a great deal of his time to that purpose

In my own case personal interests will require my whole attention for the next few months and I felt that I could devote none of it to the Chamber of Commerce and spend as much time as I have in the past in its work All of this so called friction is a surprise to me and while I regret that there should be any criticism I have no desire to mix in the matter

When we selected the nominating committee it was understood that its members would be representatives of the various business interests in Oakland It was also understood that their selection should represent all lines of business and bring to the chamber's executive council every interest which goes to make up Oakland's prosperity

As I stated before I have served actively and long with the board and the only reason that I requested the keeping of my name off the ticket was purely personal

REBEL FORCES HIDE NEAR JUAREZ

Nothing Heard of Train Stolen Last Night by Revolutionists.

EL PASO Dec 23—Nothing has been heard up to noon as to what was done with the train which the insurgents captured south of Juarez last night The wires were cut and since then have not been repaired Railroad officials were preparing to send the regular train south today and trust that the line was still open

The rebels are in the hills within a few miles of Juarez but apparently are making no effort to attack the city

As the revolutionists went south on the train which they took last night they may have attacked the town of Casas Grandes which is the supply point of all the Mormon colonists in that region Soldiers were recently sent to Casas Grandes and many arms have been shipped there

Will Launch Arkansas At Camden January 24

WASHINGTON Dec 23—The Navy Department was notified today that the 26,000 ton battleship Arkansas will be launched January 24 at the yard of the contractors the New York Shipbuilding company Camden N J

The keel of the ship was laid January 1a last

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR BOY KILLED BY AUTO

ALAMEDA Dec 23—The funeral of Philip Brown the 12 year old boy who was killed in Oakland several days ago by an automobile owned by W G Henshaw the banker was held this afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Smile & Callagher The services were conducted by an Oakland pastor and six small boys school mates of the little victim acted as pall bearers

The remains were incinerated at the Oakland crematory None of the members of the Henshaw family who were in the automobile at the time of the fatal accident were in attendance at the funeral

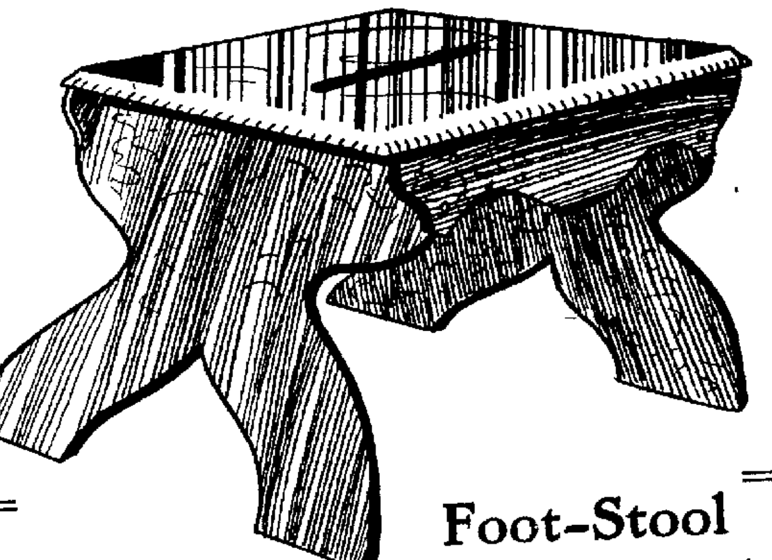
CHICO TRAGEDY MAY HAVE BEEN MURDER

CHICO Dec 23—With Mrs William Whiteline dead and her daughter Miss Lavina Corey dying the police here are working on a clew that may result in the discovery that murder and not a suicide pact is responsible for the tragedy The two women were found late yesterday on a floor of their home Miss Corey declares that gravy eaten by the women contained poison but was too weak to make accusations against any one The women are known to have had no enemies and the affair is shrouded in mystery

West Oakland Home Expresses Thanks For Aid by Tribune

EDITOR TRIBUNE—The West Oakland Home desires to express sincere gratitude for your great consideration during our doll show The splendid notices and kindly thought given us by your paper was of invaluable assistance and we most deeply appreciate your friendship

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Belmont Coach to Go Into Business

William T Reid Jr who for the past seven years has been assistant head master at Belmont School will leave shortly for the East where he is to go into business with his father in law For many years Reid has been identified with the American game of football but he has expressed his intention of severing his connection with the sport

Reid was as successful as a coach as he was as a player and not only will his absence be felt here but in the east also In all the years Reid has been identified with the American game he has suffered but four defeats Three times with Harvard he was defeated and once as coach of Belmont school In the latter game the defeat perhaps came harder than any Reid realized that it was the last year he would be identified with the sport and he was more than anxious to win from Alameda High school when that team met Belmont Alameda proved the winner however and that day Reid expressed his determination to quit the sport It was not because of the defeat but the nervous strain was too much for him

Golden Football Given Renwick

SANTA CLARA, Dec 23—A rare Christmas gift in the shape of a solid gold football fob set with diamonds, was yesterday presented by President Seth Heney on behalf of the Santa Clara College student body to Harry Renwick the Australian rugby coach to whose capable direction is attributable the victorious wind up of the season by the Mission te football team

CRIPPLE BEATEN AND ROBBED BY FOOTPADS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 23—Declaring that he had been beaten and robbed by highwaymen last night and thrown into the basement ruins of the Rialto building New Montgomery and Mission streets I D Roberts was treated at the Harbor hospital this afternoon for injuries to his head face and shoulders

Roberts is a wireless operator from Portland and has only one leg He was robbed of $2 in cash.

Your buffet will need dressing for the holidays Fill the decanters and bottles with the fine old Ports Sherries and other choice California wines produced by the Italian Swiss Colony All grocers can supply them

PEACE IS URGED IN FAR EAST BY JAPAN

Throne Emphasizes Its Wish When Diet Opens in Tokio

TOKIO [illegible] The diet was opened to [illegible] being indisposed was not [illegible] the speech from the throne [illegible] Marquis Katsura [illegible] minister of finance [illegible] Referring [illegible] and [illegible] for the [illegible] The house [illegible] adjourned until Jan [illegible]

Today's Racing Results

First Race [illegible] course selling Tender Flem [illegible] to 2 6 to 5 [illegible] 101 (Callaghan) 4 to 1 8 to [illegible] second Pleasant 109 (Garner) [illegible] third Time 1 10 1

Second Race Six furlongs selling Darelington [illegible] 6 to 1 [illegible] 109 Jodhi [illegible] 8 to 1 3 [illegible] second J H Parr [illegible] third Time 1 1? 1 5

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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It is easier to preserve the color of the hair than to restore it although it is possible to do both Our grandmothers understood the secret They made and used a "sage tea" and their dark glossy hair long after middle life was due to this fact Our mothers have gray hairs before they are fifty, but they are beginning to appreciate the wisdom of our grandmothers in using "sage tea" for their hair and are fast following suit The present generation has the advantage of the past in that it can get a ready to use preparation called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur As a scalp tonic and color restorer this preparation is vastly superior to the ordinary "sage tea" made by our grandmothers, and it can be bought for 50 cents and $1 a bottle at almost any first class drug store or will be sent direct by the Wyeth Chemical Company, 74 Cortlandt St, New York City, upon receipt of price

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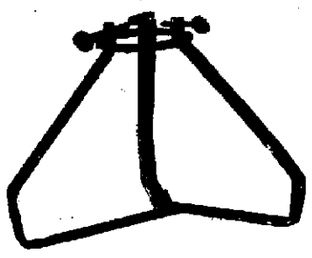
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Salted Almonds Celery en Branch
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FISH
Fried Tenderloin of Sole, Tartare Sauce
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BOILED
Boiled Ham, Champagne Sauce
ENTREES
Salmi of Tame Goose with Olives
Shrimps a la Newberg in Cases
Stuffed Suckling Pig and Baked Apples
Macedonne Fruit.
ATHENS LUNCH
ROAST
Prime Ribs of Beef, Yorkshire Pudding
Young Turkey, Chestnut Dressing
Cranberry Sauce
VEGETABLES
Cauliflower au Gratin
Cigar Lake String Beans Steam Potatoes
Baked Sweet Potatoes Mashed Potatoes
SALAD
Cold Asparagus, Mayonnaise
DESSERT
Hot Mince Pie Spiced Pumpkin Pie
English Plum Pudding, Hard and Brandy Sauce
Fruit Cake Angel Cake
Lady Fingers Macaroons
Nuts Assorted Fruits Raisins
Frozen Dates
American, Swiss and Edam Cheese
Crackers Coffee

BLIND AND ALSO BEREFT OF REASON

J. S. Alexander, Former Grain Speculator, Is Sent to the Stockton Asylum.

J. S. Alexander, 75 years old and a resident of Berkeley, was committed to the Stockton Insane Asylum by the lunacy commission this morning.

Alexander was formerly a prominent grain and commission merchant, having at one time been associated with George W. McNear. With advanced years he lost his reason entirely and has recently become blind. He constantly refers to the price of wheat before the market lowered.

GENERAL COUNSEL LEAVES CICAGO-MILWAUKEE R. R.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Announcement was made yesterday that George R. Peck resigned as general counsel for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company. He will be succeeded January 1 by Burton Hanson.

It was said at the offices of the company that he would continue his connection with the legal department in an advisory capacity.

DOES NOT WANT ANNEXATION

L. A. Barker Suggests Active Fight Be Made Against San Francisco's Plans.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 21, 1910.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: I located in Oakland February, 1905, not so very long ago counted in time but long enough to appreciate the immense strides Oakland has made during the past five years. I have lived in, or visited, a great many of the large cities of the United States, from New York to San Francisco, during my life, and I know of not one that can excel Oakland in natural advantages, and none that can equal us for climatic conditions. When I first came to Oakland I heard no talk of annexation, but now the atmosphere seems to be full of it, why? Because San Francisco realizes that Oakland is at last coming into her own, that the narrow spirit which used to exist in this community has ceased, that at present all public-spirited citizens are filled with the desire of civic enterprise, that the improvements now under way and in contemplation will make of Oakland one of the finest cities of our country, and that even her commercial supremacy is threatened; no wonder she wants to annex us.

FUTURE OF OAKLAND.

The future of Oakland is in the hands of her citizens right now; now is the time to get out and work against annexation; do not say what you might have done, after you find yourself the tail of somebody else's kite. If you want a city and county government, if you think such a government will be more economical, well and good, work for it, but annexation you do not want. Let every man who loves Oakland come to the front and show his colors; talk anti-annexation to your neighbors, to your friends, and to your business associates. Stand together like a brick wall and you will win out.

WEAR AN EMBLEM.

I would suggest that our Chamber of Commerce take this matter up and issue some kind of an emblem, and that every citizen who has the welfare of Oakland at heart, wear such emblem on the lapel of his coat and get such of his friends as are faint-hearted in this matter to do the same. Make an endless chain proposition of the matter if necessary; do anything to defeat the attempt of our neighbors across the bay to gobble us up. We are big enough and healthy enough to stand alone. The rest is up to us. Oakland forever.

L. A. BARKER.

POLICE COURT CHARGES ARE DISMISSED TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23. — Police Judge Shortall this morning dismissed the case against Elmer Smith, Margaret Henry and the two Woodsons, arrested in connection with the wholesale theft of gold in the north. The defendants have been charged with grand larceny by the police in order to prevent their being released on habeas corpus, but the charges against them were quashed by reason of an indictment found against each of them by the grand jury yesterday.

'COUNT'S' VISIT TO U. S. RECALLED BY SUIT

De Gatigny Paid $12,000 Duty on Pictures Found to Be Spurious.

ALLEGED LOVE LETTER OF MRS. PAINE, READ

"I Love You So Hard," It Runs, "That It Makes Me Ill."

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. — The cabled account of the trial in Tours, France, of "Count" d'Aulby de Catigny and his wife, who was Miss Francesca Lunt, of Boston, on the charge of selling spurious paintings, recalls to New Yorkers the "Count's" visit to New York in 1896. His mission to this country was to raise money to rehabilitate the estate of his family, which was then in bankruptcy, he said. This he expected to do by the sale of some thirty or forty paintings that he brought with him. He was a small, thin, debonaire person.

The "Count' engaged a show room on Fifty-third street and displayed his pictures, which he valued at several hundred thousand dollars.

ASSESSED $12,000.

The United States customs people assessed him $12,000 duty on them. One was "The Horse Show." That, he admitted, was a copy of Rosa Bonheur's painting. But the other pictures, he insisted, were all originals. There were some credited to Franz Hals, others by Rembrandt and still others from the brushes of Titian, Raphael and Velasquez.

The pictures failed to draw buyers, although they received notices from some of the critics, and the "Count" was finally obliged to take them all back with him to France. He was much put out when the custom authorities declined to refund the $12,000 which had been collected and tried to have a bill introduced in Congress to give him the money.

LETTERS INTRODUCED.

TOURS, France, Dec. 23. — A tempestuous day in the court where Count d'Aulby de Gatigny and his American wife are on trial on the charge of swindling reached a climax yesterday in the introduction of love letters, alleged to have been written to d'Aulby by the Duchess of Choiseul-Praislin, the plaintiff in the case, while she was the wife of Charles Hamilton Paine.

During the reading of these letters, which the duchess refused to acknowledge as hers, the duchess and the "Countess" de'Aulby sat side by side, exchanging furious glances, while the courtroom, jammed to suffocation with fashionable women, was filled with sighs, murmurs and exclamations, as all strained to catch the words.

LOVE MADE HIM ILL.

"I love you so hard," read M. Bernard, counsel for d'Aulby, "that it makes me ill. You have given yourself to me. All I ask is that you love me always. That is God's best gift. The day passes, fire dies, but my love goes on forever. It is an incandescent, consuming flame that dulls me, sitting at your knees, cradled in your heart.

"LUCY."

The duchess underwent a pitiless cross examination as to her relations with d'Aulby, but she refused to answer many questions and begged the court to intervene to spare her.

She charged that d'Aulby demanded $200,000 for the return of the letters which she had written him, and that his entire conduct was that of a blackmailer after the discovery that the paintings were worthless. She denied that she presented jewelry to d'Aulby, including a golden padlock, bearing the inscription: "You have the key."

M. Labigur, business agent of the duchess, whom M. Bernard attacked, sent a challenge last night to Bernard to a duel, but the seconds decided that M. Bernard had not exceeded his rights and that a duel was not justified.

PROBE CHARGES AGAINST FORSYTH

Accusations of Discrimination and Dishonesty Hurled at Official.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Secretary of the Interior Richard A. Ballinger has been making a vigorous investigation into the charges of discrimination, dishonesty and incompetency hurled at Major W. W. Forsyth of the Sixth cavalry, and at Supervisor Gabriel Sovulewski, in connection with the conduct of affairs in the Yosemite valley.

The charges were preferred by Thomas H. Carter, a contractor, who has built many of the trails in the valley. When E. A. Dixon, a special agent in the Department of the Interior from Washington, was detailed on the case, he was assisted by Carter, who gave him the alleged facts upon which he based his charges, despite the efforts of the federal authorities to keep him out of the valley.

FUNDS DISSIPATED.

In his charges he recited the fact that $35,000 had been appropriated by the federal government for the construction of four miles of road in the floor of the valley, but alleged that the funds had been dissipated and but a small portion of the work had been accomplished. He also charged Supervisor Sovulewsik with cutting hay and timber in the valley and selling these products.

Dixon has been gathering data for his report for several weeks, having concluded the work on December 15. The report will be transmitted to Washington for action at the hands of Ballinger.

Major Forsyth, against whom the majority of the charges are hurled, is located at the Presidio for the winter. He is on a two-month leave. He was formerly stationed at Yellowstone Park, but has been in Yosemite valley much of the time since the state ceded it back to the government.

EIGHT MEN ENTOMBED; TWO TAKEN OUT DEAD

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 23.—Eight men were trapped by a cave-in this afternoon while excavating at Washington and Court streets. It is thought all are dead. Two dead were taken from the debris.

WHEELER THINKS FAIR IS CERTAINTY

College President Says Sentiment in the East Favors San Francisco.

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the State University returned yesterday from the east. In speaking of the Panama-Pacific Exposition President Wheeler said:

I think San Francisco will get the fair. The total force of the arguments in favor of it is overwhelming as against the case of New Orleans. I find this was the impression everywhere. Some congressmen even who are under some geographical or other obligation to vote for New Orleans express themselves in private conversation as surprised that New Orleans should want the fair. It would not be a success. New Orleans has not the hotels and other means of entertainment necessary; the climate is against it; she will also have difficulty in financing the undertaking. But most of all weighs the argument that if the fair is at San Francisco the canal will be a significant part thereof. The opening of the canal has its meaning in terms of the double ocean.

FAVOR TWO CELEBRATIONS.

It is really the waterways movement and not the canal which brings New Orleans now to the front. Some southern congressmen who have felt themselves under obligation to vote for New Orleans think there ought to be two celebrations—one at New Orleans, the other at San Francisco; one in terms of the relation of the central Mississippi valley to the canal, the other in terms of the larger significance of the canal. I must say that in private conversation I found no one who did not think that San Francisco ought by rights either to have the one exposition or one of two to be held.

Our delegation seemed to me to be very effective. I can say this because I myself was of little account; I had relatively very little to do. Our delegation seemed to contain such a variety of talent that it could touch Washington at almost every point. I am inclined to think that New Orleans had at the beginning the better of us; it certainly had a larger number of votes definitely pledged. I believe, however, that the activity of our delegation very decidedly changed the atmosphere. I regard it as very certain that now after hearing San Francisco's proposal to hold the fair without the help of a federal grant there is no prospect that Congress would consider a grant to New Orleans. Without such a grant New Orleans has scarcely contemplated the undertaking.

CALIFORNIA IN EARNEST.

It was delightful to see all Californians working together for one cause. Some resident in Washington and other cities of the east were ready to help. Everybody I saw was very much impressed with the fact that California was in earnest about the matter.

I combined a number of lesser errands with my trip in the interest of the exposition. For instance, I was present at the annual meeting of the National Red Cross Society. I spoke Thursday evening of last week before the association for the judicial settlement of international disputes, a meeting at which Andrew Carnegie announced his gift of $10,000,000 for the peace cause. I attended at Columbia University a meeting called to welcome Professor Danell of the University of Kiel, this year's Kaiser Welhelm exchange professor. I spent considerable time in canvassing the field for an artist to complete the decoration of the Sather gate. Mrs. Sather desires that nothing short of the best available artistic work should be expended on the gate. On account of the distance this is not an easy matter to accomplish. I have only the results of my inquiries to report, as yet no decision has been reached.

BOY HAS RECORD FOR ELUSIVENESS

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—The police of Berkeley and other bay cities are searching for Earl Burt, 16 years of age, who was recaptured as a delinquent here last month, but who escaped from Officer Scott of the Oakland detention home while being taken to the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society of San Francisco. He jumped from a street car.

Burt, who is considered one of the youngest criminals that the local police have ever dealt with, formerly resided at San Pablo avenue and Delaware street, in West Berkeley. Later he went to Aberdoen, Wash., where his mother is now living. There he was arrested on a charge of larceny, but broke jail, only to be arrested in other cities of the northwest. He was wanted in this city for a petty offense, and when he reappeared here last month he was taken into custody and turned over to the probation officer. Later he was committed to the institution in San Francisco. Although having a reputation for elusiveness, he has again caught a peace officer napping and again secured his liberty.

Burt is 5 feet 2 inches in height and weighs 131 pounds. His face is freckled and rough, and he has blue eyes.

Open Evenings Until Xmas

The following stores offer a number of suggestions for Christmas remembrances, and to assist the busy shopper will remain open evenings from now until Christmas:

TAFT & PENNOYER

Toys

The largest stock on the coast. Make your selections and we will reserve it for you until Christmas Eve.

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If Money Is Short and You Need a Suit or Overcoat

CREDIT

Don't let that be a hindrance. Easy terms in our store permit you to wear good clothes while paying for them.

SUITS or Overcoats

Latest styles. All sizes and a fit guaranteed. Pay only a small deposit and you can take your pick of the stock.

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OWNS VAST REALTY; TAKES PAUPER OATH

Charles Harrell Fixes Liabilities at $327,442; Assets Are $17.75.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23. — Charles Luten Harrell, owner of real estate, took million dollars' worth of real estate, took the pauper's oath yesterday when he filed a petition in the United States District Court asking that he be declared a bankrupt.

Harrell, who says he is a solicitor by occupation, fixes his liabilities at $327,442 and asserts that he has no available assets whatever. All of the creditors named are residents of New York city, with the exception of one living in Oregon and a few of the smaller ones living in this city.

Harrell states in his petition that he owns $476,800 worth of real estate, all but a very inconsiderable amount being in New York city, which is tied up by mortgages and notes as follows: The Diocesan convention, New York, $50,000; Niagara Fire Insurance Company, New York, $55,000; Jacob D. Butler, New York, $29,000; Frederick Danne, New York, $29,000; William McCracken, New York, $4000; and Mrs. M. Schueler of this city, $1100.

Harrell has 156 creditors, whose claims range from a 30-cent bill due a workman to $20,000 owing on a judgment for damages rendered in New York city.

The only assets which are not in the hands of creditors are a dress suit worth $10, two other suits valued together at $4, 2 hats, 2 shirts, 4 pair of sox and a pair of suspenders, which are listed at $3.75.

RETIRING OFFICER RECEIVES A JEWEL

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — Westgate chapter No. 290, Eastern Star, held an installation of officers Wednesday evening in Masonic temple, Phineas F. Ferguson, past worthy grand patron of the grand chapter, presiding, and Mrs. Julia A. Reid acting as marshal. The following officers were installed: Worthy matron, Miss Mordena M. Stewart; worthy patron, Dr. J. W. Peck; associate matron, Mrs. Helen H. Lucy; secretary, Mrs. S. C. Welden; treasurer, Mrs. Edna M. Bragdon; conductress, Mrs. Ella G. Parsons; associate conductress, Mrs. Mary English Hutton; chaplain, Mrs. Ella D. Allen; marshall, Mrs. Mabel W. Ross; organist, Roscoe Warren Lucy; warden, Mrs. Ada L. Gibbs; sentinel, John S. Ross; Ada, Miss Ida Rosekins; Ruth, Mrs. Elizabeth N. French; Esther, Miss Mary Fairchild; Martha, Mrs. Christine S. Zehner; Electa, Mrs. Grace A. Richardson.

The retiring matron, Mrs. Laura May MacDermott, was presented with a jewel, a bracelet, by the class of 1910, and a silver card knife by the star points. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Aileen Murphy and Miss Seta Stewart; a vocal solo, Miss Alice Andrews, and a stringed quartet contributed numbers.

PARDONS COME AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Acting Governor Warren Porter Extends Clemency to Two Convicts.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—Two pardons issued by Acting Governor Warren Porter were made known today. One is to Harry Squire, who is under a twelve-year sentence in San Quentin from San Francisco for attempted arson. His records on appeal were destroyed in April, 1906, and in view of the fact that he has been a model prisoner, Porter extended the executive clemency.

The other is to Thomas D. Gardenshire, who was given thirty-five years at Folsom from San Francisco in 1903 for criminal assault. His conduct on parole since 1908 has earned him the pardon.

BURGLARS FLEE WHEN OWNER ENTERS HOUSE

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—When W. D. Waycott of 1134 Hay street opened his front door and turned on the light shortly after 9 o'clock last night he saw two men run out through the back door and escape. In the dining room he found a large bundle containing all his silverware and valuable clothing. The burglars were porch-climbers and had entered through a second-story window.

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WATCH FOBS—In 14-kt. gold-filled, beautiful designs; regular $4.00, $5.00, $6.00—Now $2.50

SCARF PINS—In 14-kt. gold-filled; regular $1.50, $2.50, $3.00—Now 85c

SOLID GOLD SIGNET RINGS—Beautiful patterns and heavy; regular price $6.00—Now $3.75

ALARM CLOCKS—Regular price $2.00; 15 minutes' intermittent—Now $1.45

$1.75; 15 minutes' intermittent—Now $1.25

$1.50 CLOCKS—Now 95c

$1.00 CLOCKS—Now 75c

75c CLOCKS—Now 50c

SOLID GOLD BABY RINGS—Reg. $1.50 ..... 95c

Fifty different styles of SILVER MESH BAGS — Latest designs, lined with kid. Bought especially for the holidays, but our removal forces us to sell them at ABSOLUTE COST. Prices down as low as $3.00

We have the largest stock of CALIFORNIA TURQUOISE MATRIX, in SOLID GOLD RINGS as low as $3.00

STORE TO LET—FIXTURES FOR SALE.

1000 different designs of LADIES' RINGS, with beautiful Rubies, Turquoise, Amethyst and all kinds of stones to be SOLD AT COST—ALL SOLID GOLD.

BRACELETS of all descriptions in solid gold and 14-karat gold-filled for less than what we can buy them for.

So if you want to buy bargains, come to our store now and pay a small deposit. Whatever we sell we guarantee.

Never before was such an exceptional opportunity offered to secure HOLIDAY GIFTS as is during our GREAT REMOVAL SALE. We are going to move to BROADWAY and 12TH STREET and we want to open our store with a brand new stock. In order to do this we have decided to mark down every piece of merchandise in our extensive stock at prices that will make you sit up and think. Four years ago we opened our store—it was but eight feet long—today we occupy one ten times that size. WHY?



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$1.25 Ladies' Cape "Dent Like" Gloves—all sizes—tan—pair	85c
$1.50 Fownes Roxburgh Pique Seam Gloves—all sizes—pair	$1.00
Ladies' Real Kid Gloves—Fownes or Alexandre—pair	$1.50
Gent's Gloves—Fownes or Dent style—all sizes—pair	$1.50
Gent's Real Mocha Gloves—all sizes—pair	$1.50

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—3 in a fancy box	95c
Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—six in a fancy box	$1.45
Gent's Initial Handerkelefs—six in a box	69c
Gent's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs—six in a box	89c
Gent's All-Linen Initial Handkerchiefs—six in a box	$1.38

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25% Discount

on all Dressed Dolls $1.50 and up.

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75c Rhinestone Hat Pins—each	39c	$1.00 Rhinestone Hat Pins—each	65c
$1.25 Belt Buckles and Pins—each	65c	$2.25 German Silver Mesh Bags—each	$1.69

Leather Hand Bags

50c Misses' Crush Leather Hand Bags—tan, brown and black—each	35c
$2.00 Ladies' Goat Seal Grain Hand Bags—leather lined	$1.35
$5.00 French Panne Velvet Hand Bags—black and brown	$3.95

Ladies' Silk Hosiery

$1.00 Ladies' Silk Hosiery—black and colors—all sizes—pair	75c
$1.50 Ladies' Silk Thread Hosiery—black and colors—all sizes—pair	$1.25
$2.00 Kayser's Pure Silk Hosiery—black only—all sizes—pair	$1.50
$4.00 Ladies' hand-embroidered foot, pure silk thread Hosiery—pair	$2.48

Furs

33 1-3 off on all Ladies' Fur Sets and separate pieces.

Silk Petticoats $3.95

$5.00 Ladies' Persian Silk Petticoats—effective patterns	$3.95

Trimmed Hats $7.50

$20.00 Imported models in Ladies' trimmed Hats	$7.50

Children's Trimmed Hats $2.45

$7.00 Children's Hats—velvet, trimmed with silk—Beavers in colors—also black	$2.45

Warm Comforters

$7.50 silk covered, wool filled and mercerized, figured sateen, with down filling—Comforters	$5.00

Art Linens

$1.00 hemstitched and embroidered art linen Scarfs and Squares	69c

Linen Table Sets

$6.50 pure linen Table Sets—cloths 2 yards by 2 yards—12 napkins 12x22	$4.50

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25c Ladies' Swiss or Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs	15c
75c Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs—six in a box	45c
75c Ladies' Fancy Elastic Belts	45c
$1.00 Ladies' Venice Coat Collars—12 patterns	48c
$1.50 Umbrellas—gloria covered paragon frame—natural and fancy handles	95c
$3.00 Persian Drape Veils and Throw Scarfs—each	$1.85
$2.50 Ladies and Gent's Rain-proof Umbrellas	$1.65
$4.00 All-silk Taffeta Umbrellas—black, navy and green	$1.95
$4.00 White Wool Blanket, double-bed size—blue and pink borders	$2.95

COUNTY CLERK I. P. COOK BANQUETED BY DEPUTIES

High Praise to Friend and Official

Man Who Has Shown Himself Worthy of His Trust

Efficient Public Servant Honored by Loyal Friends



COUNTY CLERK JOHN P. COOK, who was the guest of honor last night at a banquet given by his deputies.

At the Forum last night five hours of pleasure were experienced by the deputies in the office of County Clerk John P Cook, at a banquet given by them to that gentleman, at the close of his second term and on the eve of his assumption of the duties of the same office for the third term.

There was also an appreciation of the moment by Mr Cook himself and several invited people, who were personal friends of the guest of the evening as also of the deputies who inspired and managed the festivity.

KEPT A SECRET.

The function was a profound secret to Mr Cook until it became necessary to take steps to secure his attendance as against professional engagements, one of which was discovered by the deputies so late as to cause them to fear that, after all, the man they wished to honor might not be able to attend the gathering But this engagement was happily deferred to another occasion and as a result one of the most pleasant social gatherings which has ever taken place in socio-political circles in this county was the result

The spread was intended as a means of expressing the good will of the deputies in the county clerk's office for Mr Cook, as also of congratulating him on his recent success at the polls by a handsome plurality which showed that the gentleman is strongly enshrined in the hearts of the people.

AT GUEST TABLE.

At the guest table were seated County Clerk Cook, on his left, A J Woolsey, the toastmaster of the evening, on his right, Supervisor J M Kelley the closest personal and political friend of Mr. Cook, also County Recorder John W. Mott, between whom and the honored guest for many years has existed the warmest feelings of friendship; Andrew Johnstone, the tireless and universally informed chief deputy of the county clerk's office and Sumner Crosby of Alameda, member-elect of the Assembly from that city.

The banquet was served in the cosy banquet room of the Forum, under the special direction of Gustav Marn. The apartment was beautifully decorated with American flags and the tables were liberally garnished with flowers.

The menu was excellent There was a bond of sympathy between all those present and while the card was under discussion, there was a lively exchange of wit and humor some of the sallies of which were worthy of the noted raconteurs of the country.

PRESENTATION MADE.

One of the incidents of the occasion was the presentation to Mr. Cook of a beautiful scarf pin of rubies and diamonds on the part of the deputies.

Another was the reading of a letter from Justice Melvin of the Supreme Court, which, while voicing regret at the inability of the gentleman to be present, was at the same time a toast to Mr Cook, which was drunk standing and with the greatest enthusiasm.

Still another interesting feature was the announcement of the prospective marriage of Toastmaster Woolsey, who has been connected with the county clerk's office for a number of years, who has been admitted to the practice of the profession of the law and who on the second of next month is to take to his heart one of the belles of this county.

MODEL TOASTMASTER.

Mr. Woolsey made a model toastmaster He was not only acquainted with all those present, but he was at the same time able to vary his introduction of sentiments and speakers so as to leave nothing to be desired on the part of the people present.

Mr. Woolsey opened the exercises by declaring that the deputy clerks in the office of the county clerk that gathered to honor their chief, John P Cook, the clerk of Alameda county. The occasion was eminently fitting for the reason that it marked the close of the second and the opening of the third term of Mr Cook in the office in question. He then proposed the sentiment, "Our Friends Forever," and called on Supervisor J. M. Kelley, who has long been the closest friend of Mr. Cook, to respond to the toast.

SUPERVISOR KELLEY RESPONDS.

Supervisor Kelley was greeted with applause. He said he considered it a very great privilege to be one of the close friends, both personally and in political life, of Mr. Cook. They ought to feel that they had been honored in having the privilege of serving him in the capacity of deputies in the county clerk's office.

As the toastmaster had said, they were now on the eve of the third term of Mr Cook in the office of county clerk. Some of them had been with him for various periods of service, some for four and others for six years and others for a longer time There was no doubt that some and perhaps most of them would continue to remain as deputies in the county clerk's office.

In John P. Cook they had a man and an official to admire. There was no better county clerk or official in California than John P Cook.

There was no doubt that Mr. Cook was closer to his deputies than was any other county clerk in the State. Neither was there any doubt that the deputies were closer to Mr. Cook than were any other county clerk deputies in the State

MAN AND FRIEND.

He had come in closest contact with Mr Cook and had found in him nothing as a man and friend and associate that he could not admire. He knew whereof he spoke. Mr. Cook treated him men better and was closer with his men than did or was any other county official. He did not say this in criticism of other officials, but because of the knowledge he had of the fact.

The speaker knew that Mr. Cook appreciated the work of his deputies. He appreciated them also for what they had done for him in the primary in August last and at the election in November. He knew also that Mr. Cook laid his victory on those occasions to a great extent to the good work which the deputies and their friends had done on those occasions. He knew also that Mr. Cook justly credits his deputies for their good work, because the speaker himself knew what the deputies had done. He knew how Mr. Cook felt in the matter because he knew also that it would have been impossible for him to have secured the majority he did without their assistance.

Supervisor Kelley furthermore stated that he could say that Mr. Cook would treat his deputies with the same kindness that he had treated them up to the present time.

WORD GOOD AS GOLD.

Harry S Anderson said he was pleased to be present and to see what Mr Cook's employes thought of him in his official character Mr. Cook was a good employer, he was a good husband and father and the speaker knew him to be a true friend When Mr. Cook gave his word it was as good as gold. He considered it an honor to be a friend of John P Cook. There was no office too good in the State of California for John P. Cook He had had during the past summer some dealings with the Secretary of State and the latter had told him that Mr Cook was the best county clerk in the State. The secretary had told him that the papers from Mr Cook's office went to him perfect and correct and did not have to be sent back for corrections as had to be done with the offices of a number of other county clerks.

CAN BE RELIED ON.

County Recorder John W. Mott said he did not feel opposed to being classed as a friend of County Clerk John P. Cook Indeed, he felt very much elated in considering Mr Cook as one of his true friends, a friend who was honest and could be relied on to grant any request which was within his power to grant.

"There were men in politics who professed to be one's friends when they sought favors, but whose friendship vanished when the favors could or could not be granted Those were friends who could not stand hard knocks Mr. Cook was a friend who stood with a man whether successful or unsuccessful, a friend who stayed with a friend in season and out They had met people who were friends when they found the favor they sought but who have proved false If Mr. Cook said he was for a person, his word could not be changed. It was an honor to have such a man as a friend He hoped they would be classed as Mr Cook's friends.

FELT HIGHLY HONORED.

Charles E. Dunscombe of the Berkeley Gazette said he felt highly honored in being invited to be present and was surprised when invited and surprised also when he was asked to speak. He considered himself to be a friend of Mr. Cook and he also considered it an honor to be such a friend It was glad to be there to testify to his friendship.

TO BE DEPENDED UPON.

Sumner Crosby, member of the assembly-elect from Alameda, said that he had found Mr. Cook to be a man of the kind that if he said he would do a thing he would do it. He had made Mr. Cook's acquaintance at a time during the late campaign and later he was more interested in Mr. Cook's success than he was in his own The present county clerk's office was one of the best in the State. It was conducted without being a reproach Lawyers knew that and supported Mr. Cook. Now that the speaker knew Mr. Cook, he was glad Mr Cook had been elected He was glad to be a friend.

LETTER FROM JUSTICE MELVIN.

The following letter was then read by Chief Deputy County Clerk Andrew Johnson, from Justice H. A. Melvin of this city, one of the members of the Supreme bench of the State.

Supreme Court of California, Justices Chambers, Wells Fargo Building, San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 22, 1910.

Andrew Johnson, Esq., Oakland, Cal.

My Dear Andy: I cannot express my great disappointment at my inability to attend the dinner this evening to my very dear friend, dear old Jack Cook. I love to do my small part in honoring this distinguished citizen of Alameda county not only because he is the most efficient public servant I have ever known, but also because he is the most staunch, loyal, lovable friend I have ever had. For years we have fought side by side; have won and lost together; have known together the infamy of false friends who betrayed us and of true friends who were constant even in times of trouble; and during every minute of that time I have loved and admired Jack Cook for his splendid mind, his wonderful genius as an organizer, his courage under seemingly hopeless conditions, his brilliant generalship, but above all, his unfaltering devotion to his friends.

In honoring him by a banquet this evening you gentlemen honor yourselves. Although I cannot be there, I feel sure that you will allow me to propose this toast: 'Here's to Jack Cook, courteous gentleman, honest, capable public servant and loyal friend, with a heart of gold.'

Yours most cordially,
HENRY A. MELVIN.

HIGHLY EFFICIENT OFFICER.

James M. Koford of Berkeley, said that he wanted to let them know that in the thousand plurality of votes which had been given Mr. Cook in Berkeley his (the speaker's) vote had been counted. As an humble member of the bar, he had come in contact every day of his life with the methods and work of the county clerk. There was no duty required to be performed in that office, no accommodation sought which was not performed willingly, pleasantly, laboriously and satisfactorily by County Clerk Cook and his deputies. The office of the county clerk was the best administered and the deputies themselves were the best in California. He went there for guidance and agreed with all that the toastmaster and others here said on the subject.

PEOPLE APPRECIATE HIM.

R S Kitchener said that they knew the capacity of Mr Cook as well as he did The gathering was certainly a testimonial to Mr. Cook. The last election showed the esteem in which the county clerk was held by the people. He counted every year that he did not know Mr. Cook as a year's loss of a friend. He wanted to be counted as a friend of Jack Cook.

A FAITHFUL FRIEND.

Captain E. M. Freeman said he was a little surprised to be invited to a gathering where there were so many young people like himself (laughter). He was the mayor of "Grizzly Flat" (laughter). It was his duty to put down liquor (laughter). For a long time, Jack Cook had been his friend. The speaker said that he himself was nothing but an old shell-back, a sailor who had been around the world six times, a pilot in San Francisco for 34 years, and a commissioner for four years. Perhaps he might get four years more (laughter). They could not have a more faithful friend than John P. Cook, because when he said he would do a thing he was a man of his word. He wished the clerk and the deputies a merry Christmas and happy new year.

EXPRESSES WELL WISHES.

Councilman W. J. Bacrus was announced as a man who was making a canvass for a commissionership under the new charter. He said he was surprised to be asked to make a speech because he had never made a speech in his life. He was, however, a friend of Mr. Cook's and hoped the latter would return for many years to come to his present county position.

"TRUTH" ITSELF.

Harold E. Magill said that in his many readings of the Bible he had found one word there which had impressed itself on his mind more than any other word which he had read there, and that was the word "truth" There was a great import attached to that word which was especially applicable in the present connection. The word in his mind symbolized John P. Cook, for the reason that Mr. Cook was the personification of "truth" itself.

Other speeches followed by Joseph L. Laney, Fred Peterson, Al Cunha, William Crane, Paul Wythe, Al Blow, W. E. Adams, Frank Heaney, Homer M. Wilson, Peter Zamorisky, W. J. Masterson, William Manning, Geo B Keefe, Charles Kohl, W. O. Brown and W. W. Chappell.

TOKEN OF ESTEEM.

Toastmaster Woolsey then, in the name of all the deputies of the county clerk's office, presented Mr. Cook with a beautiful scarf pin consisting of a ruby set in diamonds, the presentation remarks conveying to the recipient, in choice words, an idea of the appreciation which every one of his deputies held for Mr. Cook and the heartfelt pleasure which his re-election to office for the third time had afforded them.

DEEPLY AFFECTED.

Mr. Cook was visibly affected and spoke in an earnest and sympathetic manner. He appreciated, he said, the evidence of loyalty on the part of the deputies in the county clerk's office, which he credited with having been responsible for the esteem in which the office was held by the people He believed fervently, he declared, that because of that efficiency and devotion, he owed more to them than they did to him. Some of them might believe that they had secured their position through personal friendship or influence. There were some who had influence behind them, but whether they knew it or not, it remained for him to say that the positions in his department had been filled by men of his own selection and because of their special fitness for their respective positions. He thought he had made but few mistakes.

COURTESY TO ALL.

The success in the conduct of the office was because of the rigid rule that every attache was to be courteous to everybody having business with it. He thought that that was the way in which the reputation was established.

He had gotten that principle from his predecessor in the office, Frank Jordan, secretary of state-elect. Mr. Jordan had made a great county clerk and would make one of the best secretaries of state California had ever had. He was a great organizer, was great in establishing a system and method of business and achieved great results. He had evolved order out of chaos. He was true in all his friendships and would discharge all the duties of his office, whatever that office might be.

He had spent seven years in the office of county clerk under Mr Jordan and had had a chance to appreciate the principles which had governed Mr Jordan. If he had not believed in and adopted those principles, they would not have been as successful as they were today.

COMPLIMENTS DEPUTY.

While all the deputies had acquitted themselves in a manner worthy of praise there was one man to whom he wanted to refer and that was Al Blow The speaker said he had put Mr Blow in the office temporarily. Mr Blow had been put in charge of the registration office That was a place that was important at all times but it was especially important in the two elections of the present year. There had not been a single mistake. Blow had worked with the precision of a machine. He had never seen a man handle the work, even when he himself was doing the registration in a more satisfactory and capable manner Everybody else in the registry room also did fine work.

Mr. Cook then spoke pleasantly of Supervisor J. M. Kelley, who sat beside him and whom he characterized as the dearest friend he had. Mr Kelley was in favor of the speaker's candidacy even when the former had his own fight. But that turned out to be not much of a fight after all, but it was thought there was a fight. After the election, however, it was shown that all the people in the district wanted Supervisor Kelley.

He also referred to County Recorder Mott, declaring that there was no more loyal and trustworthy friend than John W. Mott. At a banquet which was held soon after the appointment of Mr. Mott to the position of county recorder, Mr. Cook declared that he had said Mr. Mott would carry on the work of recorder in an able and conscientious manner, that he would come close to the people and that the people would show their appreciation of his work. He thought it unfortunate that Mr. Mott had not been elected, but he was satisfied of his future because he had the gift of true manhood in him.

APPRECIATION OF FRIENDS.

Mr. Cook paid a compliment to Charles E. Dunscombe of the Berkeley Gazette, speaking appreciatively of the assistance Mr. Dunscombe had rendered in the past campaign in Berkeley.

TOAST TO W. E. DARGIE.

Earlier in the evening one of the speakers referred to the friendship that existed between W. E. Dargie of THE TRIBUNE and Mr. Cook and, referring to this fact, the county clerk stated that one of the very dearest friends he had was Mr. Dargie. The latter was now on his return home from a trip to the Orient. The speaker declared that he wanted to express the hope that Mr Dargie would return in good bodily health and mental activity, because he was one of the truest friends that ever lived. He then offered a toast in Mr. Dargie's honor as one of the finest and best of friends, with the hope that he would soon again be with them in a continuation of his great and successful career.

The toast was drunk standing and amid great enthusiasm.

Mr. Cook then announced that on the second day of January of next year Toastmaster Woolsey was to be married to a fair daughter of Berkeley and congratulations from him and every person present poured in upon the intending benedick.

OTHER SPEECHES MADE.

Other speeches were made by M. J. Ruley R. R. Morris, George H. Stricker, L. A. Rudolph, A. J. White, James Camp.

The only man who did not speak was Andy Johnstone, chief deputy in Mr. Cook's office, but he was otherwise, by his witty interjections, much in evidence.

The festivity was brought to a close at midnight.

The menu card was considered a souvenir of the occasion, and on the first page appeared the following:

Banquet in honor of
Our
John P. Cook
by his
Deputies
December 22, 1910.

The menu was as follows:

Canapee a la Russe
Oakland Cocktail
Toko Point Oysters
Clear Green Turtle En Tasse
Olives Celery Almonds
Riesling
Striped Bass, Moderne
Filet Mignon with Fresh Mushrooms
Sherbet Souvenir
Cabernet
Spring Chicken Saute Sec
Hearts of Artichokes
Potatoes Parisienne
Romaine Salad
Fromage Parisienne
Cafe Noir

AT FESTAL BOARD.

The guests were as follows:

W. J Masterson	J. J White
A. C Cunha	William Zambresky
H. M Wilson	James Camp
W. W. Crane	A. E Johnstone
W. E Adams	Harold E. Magill
M. J. Riley	C. W Kohl
R. R. Morris	Al Blow
George B Keefe	Joseph M Kelley
W. B Smith	H. A. Melvin
W. O Brown	John W. Mott
F N Heaney	H. S Anderson
Fred A Peterson	R S Kitchener
George H Stricker	Edward A. O'Brien
W. W. Chappel	C. E. Dunscomb
J. B Lankster	W J Bacrus
R W Jordan	J Clem Arnold
F W Wythe	Sumner Crosby
A J Woolsey	Jos L. Laney
L. A. Rudolph	Captain E M Freeman
W M. Manning	James M Koford

BODY OF WOMAN TAKEN TO OLD HOME FOR BURIAL

BERKELEY, Dec 23.—The funeral of the late Mrs Anna L Murray, wife of George W. Murray, a well-known dry goods salesman of this city, was held at 2 30 o'clock this afternoon, services being conducted at the Berkeley undertaking parlors by Rev F P. Flagel, pastor of the College Avenue Methodist church. The remains were shipped to Arcata, Humboldt county, Mrs. Murray's former home

Mrs. Murray died Wednesday night at her home in Cragmont, at the age of 40 years. Besides her husband, she leaves three children—Chester, Charles and William Murray.

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A Tempest in a Teapot.

It is unfortunate that there should be dissension in the Chamber of Commerce, and there would be none or at least only a temporary feeling of chagrin among a few, but for the superserviceable activities and small jealousies of Dr George C Pardee The committee appointed by the directors to nominate a new directorate failed to name some gentlemen Dr Pardee desired on the board, whereupon he scents a dark conspiracy He voices his disapproval in his newspaper and darkly hints that the banks and the Peoples Water Company have put up a job on somebody

It would be funny if his efforts to stir up a row were not calculated to interfere with the usefulness and harmonious organization of the chamber The nominating committee was appointed by the present board of directors, and the complaint is that several members have not been renominated What is the use of holding elections or appointing a committee to name a ticket if the personnel of the board of directors is to remain unchanged? Who would want to serve on a nominating committee which had no other function to perform than renaming the old board? If the board of directors is not to be a self perpetuating body the changes being limited to death and resignation, some old members must give way for new men at each election

One of the most prominent merchants in Oakland Mr Frederick Kahn, was chairman of the nominating committee, his honor, sincerity and loyalty to the city's welfare are not open to question His colleagues on the committee are all well known business men who have been zealous and active in the work of the Chamber of Commerce Yet they all are charged, by implication, in the columns of the Enquirer with being parties to a scheme to pack the directorate of the chamber in the interests of the Peoples Water Company The same implication runs against the gentlemen nominated for directors The charge is as foolish as it is malicious

It is no reflection on a director that he was not renominated Mr Walter S Mackay the retiring president, did not desire to continue as presiding officer, and he is in accord with the principle that there should be an infusion of new blood at each election Doubtless the make-up of the new ticket is not exactly according to his individual ideas—perhaps the same thing can be said of every member of the chamber—but as every person of sense knows, individual judgments must give way to consensus of opinion in such matters as naming a collective ticket for a public body

Mr J H Clay, a former president of the chamber, asked the committee to leave his name off the ticket, as he deemed it good policy to have rotation in the board and the constant infusion of new blood The chamber has never had a more effective member than Mr Clay his zeal, energy and intelligence have been demonstrated, and his continued service in the directorate would be of distinct advantage to the chamber. But he voluntarily stepped aside to make room for a new man

The chief trouble, however is that Dr Pardee wants to form a personal clique in the board of directors Because his design has been frustrated he vents his anger and disappointment in his newspaper He invents a conspiracy and points an accusing finger at the nominating committee and the gentlemen named for the new board of directors His performance is characteristic He cannot refrain from injecting his piques and desires, his personal animosities and small beer vanities into everything he touches It is his regular practice to charge everything which fails to meet his approval to unworthy designs and motives on the part of others Into every discussion he injects false issues, false quantities and false charges to give dignity to his petty spites and a justification for his displays of vanity and spleen.

Dr Pardee is not content to remain on the board—he wants to run it and to dictate the directorate, and he attacks the integrity of his colleagues and the nominating committee because his assumed right to control the activities of the Chamber of Commerce is not recognized The more he is humored the more cantankerous he becomes It is a pity, too, for Dr Pardee has many elements of usefulness in him if he would not let his vanity and dislikes control him, if he did not crave to be a boss His unfortunate disposition has stirred a spirit of dissension in the Chamber of Commerce that cannot fail to have a bad effect

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Lord Rothschild, who was raised to the peerage by a Liberal ministry took sides with the Tory-Unionists in the recent campaign He addressed a letter to his co-religionists in Manchester urging them to vote the Conservative ticket He could see only calamity in the abolition of the House of Lords and dismemberment of the empire in Home Rule Some of the Jewish newspapers took him sharply to task for making an appeal to racial sentiment in a cause in which no racial or religious question was involved Other Liberal peers followed Lord Rothschild's example in going over to the Tories in defense of hereditary privilege and an unjust system of taxation, among them Lord Rosebery, who was in earlier life an adherent of Gladstone and for a brief period was premier in a Liberal administration Lord Rosebery stood tentatively for Home Rule, but he flew to the defense of his order when it was proposed to abolish the House of Lords But it appears that neither Lord Rosebery nor Lord Rothschild was able to greatly influence public sentiment in the recent elections. The Lords were beaten to a frazzle, as Colonel Roosevelt would say.

Porfirio Diaz's golden jubilee appears to be ending in a riot of revolution and slaughter Apparently large bodies of his countrymen are opposed to the peace and prosperity afforded by despotism

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Elliot, Conquistador

We have already referred to the candidacy of Mr Elliot for a commissionership under the new Oakland charter, and to his attitude of enmity to this city by joining San Francisco in an attempt to take Oakland in

He recently attended a banquet in San Francisco and made his usual florid speech in favor of wiping out Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda to create a "Greater San Francisco"

At that banquet the plan to be followed by San Francisco was amply disclosed and is the plan which Mr. Elliot is advocating That plan is to take in a territory about thirty miles long by twenty-five miles wide. The consolidation of this territory with San Francisco is to be voted on, the majority vote of the whole area to determine the question As San Francisco has about 20,000 more votes than all the rest of the territory, this means that San Francisco intends to vote part of Marin, Contra Costa, Alameda and San Mateo counties into her clutches, regardless of the wishes of the people of those counties Though every vote in Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley and the rest of the territory outside of San Francisco be cast against the consolidation, the vote of San Francisco takes them in, anyway.

Now this is not consolidation. It is conquest. It is the destruction of all these municipal governments without the consent of the people It is conquest, pure and simple Permission to the minority of the voters to vote upon it is a hypocritical pretense and a farce

We think this is the first time that such a scheme has been proposed anywhere In the process of creating Greater New York, the separate municipalities included in that scheme, had each the right of veto, and the consolidation was not effected until each had separately voted by a majority in favor of it That was a proper recognition of the rights of the people interested But the Greater San Francisco scheme recognizes no rights of the people of the outside territory It proposes that all the people of all the territory proposed for Greater San Francisco shall vote as a whole, including the vote of San Francisco which is a clear majority of all and will take us all in, willy nilly Now this is the scheme of confiscation, of violent overthrow of all these East Bay cities, of their subjection to political spoliation by the majority vote of San Francisco, for which Mr Elliot stands If the people of Oakland want to be gagged, hog-tied and carried off by San Francisco they will vote for Mr Elliot If however, they have pride in their city and want their people consulted and not insulted, they will retire Mr Elliot to private life and compel him to advocate conquest as a private citizen

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These glorious days give zest to life and a capacity for keenly enjoying the festivities of the holiday season. Only in California is there such weather at Christmas time Here nature calls to the open air, tints the fields with green and makes the gardens gay with flowers in the season when Jack Frost holds sway in the Eastern States While we have poor people among us the rigors of winter do not add to their sufferings and privations, blizzards, snow and ice do not torture the thinly-clad nor compel people to stay indoors to keep warm. Here nature smiles on all, and there is gladness in the sunshine whether hearts be gay or heavy. Life is truly worth living in this blessed land

RECORD CROPS



—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

When men "get religion," if they would use it more they could keep it longer, when piety doesn't pity it becomes a pest to men

Man's power to win is latent until he learns to express himself in individualistic work, the limitation in man is most shown by his imitation of others

When we use our wits we won't have many woes, but if we fail to hunt for the joys we will find some cruel thing that annoys

Your faith will take care of your future if you do not allow your present folly to frustrate you if you abuse the present the future will refuse to trust you with its best

It is easy for man to miss his way when he is unable to find himself success starts with self and grows as man more and more knows himself

When you find a sinful streak in your life, blot it out before it springs a leak that may let in a basketful of sorrows

Water on the body, fresh air in the lungs, pure digestable food in the stomach, happy thoughts in the mind and pleasant work for the hands, give the long and useful life to man, habits of indifference to those essentials make him die too soon

As you are accustomed to walk daily before men, so they with good reason interpret your holy talk with God—your voice doesn't reach the throne if you wabble in business

REBUKE TO FALSE PRIDE

"The late John S Huyler" said a New York confectioner "was for all his millions and all his philanthropy a man of shrinking modesty Though he came of an excellent family Mr Huyler laughed at those persons who in a democracy like ours boasted of their ancient lineage

"A banker once declared in Mr Huyler's presence that he was descended from the Princess Powys Wales seventh century, you know

'Is that so?' drawled Mr Huyler 'Yet I heard a man tell your brother the other day that he could trace his family back to the days of armor and shirts of chain mail, and your brother said in answer

'"My wife made me stop tracing when I got back to shirt sleeves and overalls."'"

Verdict by Women

The alarm which is felt in some quarters over the way in which the men would be treated by the women if the latter had votes sat on juries and so on seems to be justified more or less by what happened in the Superior Court in San Francisco on Friday. The first female jury that ever served there took only twenty seconds according to the reports to decide that a divorced father who had got by order of the court the custody of one of his children a son while the mother took the daughter was an unfit person to have anything to do with the education and upbringing of his offspring The twelve good women and true were summoned to act from among the spectators in the court room when the judge decided to reopen the case on the petition of the mother The promptness with which the jury agreed on a verdict showed that there could have been no sympathizer with the husband in the box. For if there had been there would have been at least some pretence of deliberation

The incident is interesting in more ways than one But in particular it seems to indicate that the majority of women share the theory of the suffragists who insist on what they regard as the extreme injustice of the present system under which their own sex has so little to say in the matter of vital im take the position that a husband portance Indeed they go so far as to divorced for whatever cause morally has no family rights or rather should have none —New York Sun

QUANTITY FOR HIM

"The late Winslow Homer" said a Fifth avenue picture dealer "overflowed with stories of his beloved fishermen Most of these stories were grave they illustrated the hardships and heroisms of the fisherman's life I remember though another of a different sort

'A visitor to a Maine fishing village—so the story ran—took an old fisherman to a speak easy for a drink

'What kind of whisky have you?' the visitor asked as they stumbled into the dark underground room that served the speak easy for a bar

'Three kinds of whisky stranger,' the proprietor answered 'Fifteen cents 10 cents and 5 cents'

"'Well, give us the 15 cents, please' said the visitor

'The proprietor set a bottle and two glasses on the bar but the old fisherman coughed and muttered humbly

"'If it's all the same to you sir I'll ask you to make mine three of the nickel kind'"

GOT HIS APPOINTMENT

Human Life When Richard Olney was secretary of state he frequently gave expression to the opinion that appointees to the consular service should speak the languages of the countries to which they were respectively accredited It is said that when a certain breezy and enterprising western politician who was desirous of serving in the capacity of consul of the Chinese ports presented his papers to Mr Olney the secretary remarked 'Are you aware, Mr Blank that I never recommend to the president the appointment of a consul unless he speaks the language of the country to which he desires to go? Now I suppose you do not speak Chinese? Whereupon the westerner grinned broadly 'If Mr Secretary' said he "you will ask me a question in Chinese I shall be happy to answer it." He got the appointment.

WAR AND THE FARCICAL

Jackson H Ralston the American agent at The Hague says that every war is tricked out with the farcical that the glory of it is false that the end of it is the negation and the destruction of those things which real progress seeks to achieve that the insignia of it is the frippery of stars and shoulder straps and stripes and gold lace and impossible headgear that the spirit of it is that which leads men who are not enemies to assume that it is their duty to kill each other We have the statement from Mr Ralston that passion is the motive of war that the farce of the military spectacle characterizes much of its conduct and that tragedy is the dominant note and the end of it

If Mr Ralston is right what are we to say of the world's accepted definition of patriotism? Mr Ralston himself answers that He says that patriotism is not a fixed but a growing term and then he elucidates that statement by a rapid review of the changing meaning of the word in the historical development of this country The patriotism of the Pilgrim Fathers and the Virginia Cavaliers was bounded first by the environment of the wilderness in which they lived It might have been that historic fate would have made a nation of each of these and that the patriotism of the one might repeatedly have been pitted against the patriotism of the other in deadly war

The rest of the argument appeals to us without further detail Patriotism widens until it covers all the territory between the two oceans and from the Canadian boundary to Key West Within those boundaries there is now no necessity of maintaining a war footing by which one community must protect itself from another Texas needs no defiant and expensive war equipment as against Louisiana nor Maine as against New Hampshire The question arises Will civilization evolve conditions which will lead to the world wide extension of peace boundaries and will the time come when patriotism will be endowed with more than national meaning?—Portland Telegram

CANADIAN RECIPROCITY

A delegation representing farming interests of Western Canada is going to Ottawa the capital of the dominion to press the demand for a reciprocity agreement with the United States that will provide for the free admission into Canada of farm implements and hardware Such an agreement would do much to promote the sale across the border of manufactured products from this country

The demand of the people of Canada for genuine reciprocity should find a cordial response among our own people As James J Hill of the Great Northern railroad pointed out recently the principles of the party in this country committed to the policy of protection lead logically to the dismantling of the custom houses along the Canadian border If said Mr Hill we are to levy only such imposts as will equalize the cost of production here and elsewhere—and that is now the universal slogan—then there will be free trade between the United States and Canada immediately

With very few exceptions there is no great difference in wages and cost of raw products in the two countries

Unless the present opportunity to establish closer relations between Canada and the United States is seized said Mr Hill, changing circumstances soon may alter for all time political as well as trade conditions of the North American continent. Existing tariffs are developing manufacturing plants on the other side of the Canadian border, to the injury of our future as well as of our immediate trade prospects

Mr Hill as the controlling spirit of a railroad operating in both countries, of course has a personal interest in promoting trade between the United States and Canada But his interest in this respect is in line with the interest of the great mass of the people on both sides of the border —Chicago News

Classics and Cradle

Children it is well worth mentioning are the only human beings who read the classics habitually and faithfully vastly preferring them to all later substitutes and froth of the day Thus in the great majority of cases taste declines rapidly with the passage of the years the child who will have nothing but Mother Goose and Grimm in the nursery throws his Shakespeare and his Scott out of the window a dozen years later and solaces his old age upon Gertrude Atherton and Winston Churchill. A sad tale but a typical one

Perhaps in these facts lies the explanation of the silly effort of grown up men and women to substitute their own foolish scribblings for the classics of the cradle Having gone sadly off in taste themselves these superior beings probably cannot appreciate the high merits of Mother Goose—or if they can do not for an instant comprehend that children mere children untaught by the trained mind of the grown up have any understanding thereof They consider that taste is a matter of rote learning and whys and wherefores manufactured by much explanation and criticism and cultured pointing of the way Whereas of course it is essentially no more than a keen eye for the great things of art—and a direct unconsidered response thereto is its chiefest sign

Of course, we have to grow up But it seems a great pity that we do If we could only keep the unclouded eye that once saw things so beautifully aright —New York Sun

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A London paper calls Mr Balfour the William J Bryan of English politics which shows how vicious they do get across the pond —Detroit Free Press

Political Comment

President Taft has again demonstrated his breadth of view freedom from sectionalism and partisanship, and high regard for the dignity and strength of the judiciary in the selection of Associate Justice Edward Douglass White to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court No better choice could have been made from a list containing the names of men well fitted for the highest judicial post in the world The Senate's immediate confirmation of Justice White's nomination was a deserved compliment —Washington Post

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That New Jersey town which has applied for a change of name will cause prospective new towns to be careful in complimenting great men until assured that they can carry their own ward.—Atlanta Constitution

The English elections seem to be conducted the way the average young American married couple furnish a flat —Washington Post

This World's People

Dr George Edgar Vincent dean of the faculty of Arts Literatures and Sciences in the University of Chicago has been chosen by the regents to succeed Dr Cyrus Northrup as president of the University of Minnesota and has accepted the office

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In the opinion of Mayor Gaynor the heat in the streetcars most of the time makes the air in them "very disagreeable and unhealthy

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Dr Butler President of Columbia says every student costs the university $14[illegible] a year

20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

A letter written by City Auditor R W Snow to the editor of THE TRIBUNE shows that an appropriation of $20 000 for the beginning of the work on the boulevard around Lake Merritt will not embarrass the working of the municipal government and that, with economy it is just that much saved from being dribbled away in odds and ends

Several hundred people who went to Wright's shipyards in Alameda this morning for the purpose of witnessing the launching of the barkentine Charles F Crocker, were disappointed for the reason that the dredger which was to have cut a channel in front of the slips to enable the boat to glide off the ways did not put in an appearance in time to enable the launching to take place It is announced positively this afternoon that the barkentine will take to the water tomorrow promptly at 10 30 o clock

The funeral services over the remains of the late Samuel T Leet took place this morning The pallbearers were Messrs Spaulding Redington Cummings Gardner McClure and Rudolph

Eighteen coasters have discharged their cargoes at the city wharf so far this month most of them bringing coal and lumber

A new inclosure is being built by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company around its wharf at the foot of Broadway

A bill providing for the pensioning of teachers in the public schools on half pay after twenty five years service will be introduced at the next session of the legislature

An interesting lecture on The Antiquity of Man was read before the members of the Y M C A last Saturday night by D Edward Collins

The street committee of the City Council went to Twenty third avenue this morning for the purpose of looking into matters brought to the attention of members of the committee by the improvement club of that section They were piloted by T W Jeffrees one of the leaders of the agitation

Judge Gibson has appointed William G Ainsworth, G. H. Tilley and J. F. Allen for the purpose of appraising the estate of William T Heurlet deceased

At the request of Judge Greene John Scheber Joseph Knowland and J B Langir will appraise the estate of Frederick B Haswell deceased

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works this afternoon bids will be received for the laying of a cement walk around Jefferson square in front of the city hall

James Leonard who lost one of his legs in attempting to stop a runaway team of horses in East Oakland yesterday is in the receiving hospital and will recover He was very low for some hours after the accident but is improving in a very satisfactory manner

Auditor Snow announced this morning that all the salary warrants with the exception of those intended for the street laborers are ready and as a consequence the employes in question will be able to get their money in time to purchase Christmas dinners

A license was issued [illegible] authorizing the marriage of Charles P Evarts and Sarah Lillian Brown daughter of Roland G Brown of Jackson street The marriage will take place tomorrow

The [illegible] this morning [illegible] taxes [illegible] of $1 [illegible]85 [illegible] Over $200 000 [illegible] into the city [illegible]

[illegible] has purchased a part of the [illegible] ranch from the Oakland Land and Improvement Company [illegible] $10 000 He has mortgaged a portion of the same tract to the Bank of Livermore for $[illegible]0 000

The signal service bureau predicts rain for this section of the country within the next few days It is in fact rather threatening now and the barometer is very unsteady The temperature however keeps equable the mercury registering about fifty degrees throughout the day

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union yesterday listened to reports from its several departments Miss Snow spoke for the California Ensign the paper that has taken the place of The Pharos Several Oakland ladies have subscribed for stock

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ALL DRUGGISTS

PLAN MONEY CAMPAIGN TO CLEAR GYMNASIUM

The board of directors of the Alumni Association of St. Mary's college met last night and formulated plans for the coming year. To clear off the debt of the college gymnasium a meeting will be held in January and determine what steps shall be taken.

The annual banquet of the association will be held in April.

The subject for the medal given by the association will be "The Catholic Graduate and Parish Work."

Those present were Dr. T. H. Maher, '94, president; Joseph L. Taaffe, '96, vice-president, F. J. Kierce, '82, secretary; P. J. McCormick, '88, treasurer, Rev. M. D. Connolly, '78, E. R. Myrick, '81, J. V. Sullivan, '88; Brother Agnon, F. S. C.

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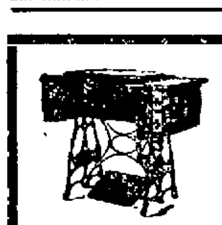
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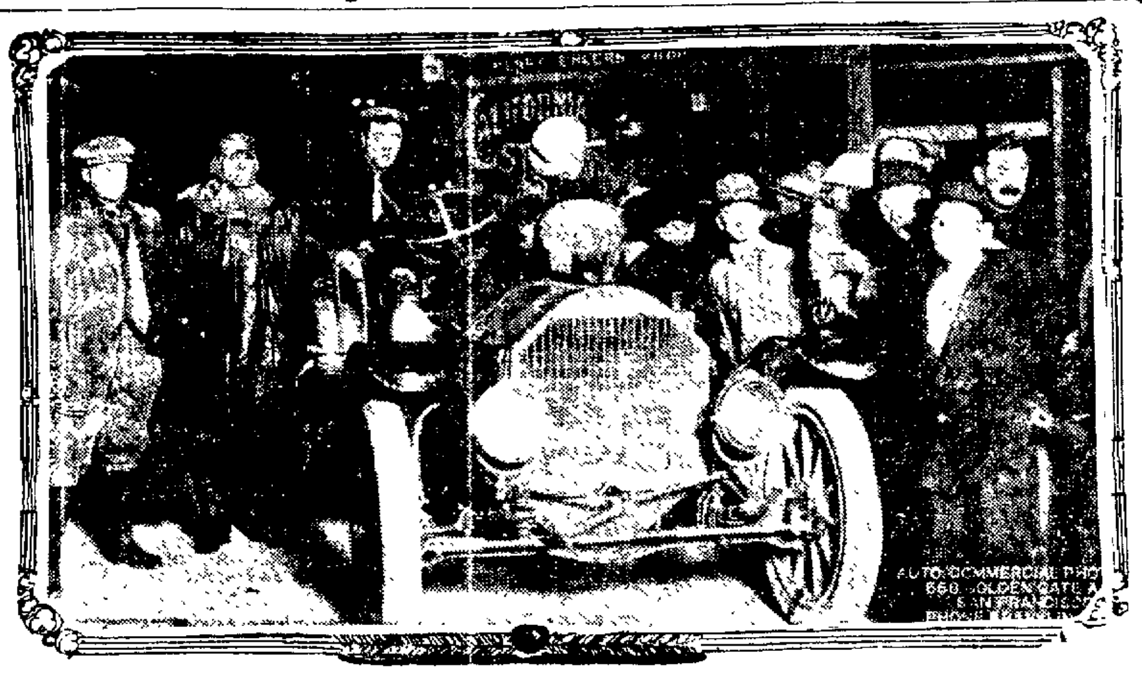
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Victorious Cadillac arriving in San Francisco after record-breaking run from Los Angeles.



LABORER IS NEARLY KILLED IN SEWER

Jar of Seventh Street Train Causes Walls of Ditch to Cave.

Shaking of the ground due to the transit of the heavy Seventh street engine and local on the Southern Pacific line caused the walls of a sewer 14 feet deep to cave in and bury Dominico Zoletti under half a ton of earth. The sewer is being constructed down Market street from Seventh.

Only the persistent and heroic efforts of his fellow workmen saved Zoletti from being stifled under the weight of earth. With the greatest difficulty they located his head before he had suffocated and forced a pipe down to him, through which he succeeded in breathing while the excavation to free him was in progress. Three times while he was being dug out the walls again caved in, making the task of freeing him one of the greatest labor and difficulty.

When he was finally taken out he was unconscious from the efforts he had made to save himself from being suffocated and from the weight of earth that had been resting upon him. He recovered quickly, however, and an examination showed that no bones were broken. He was taken to his lodgings. The accident happened about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

AVIATORS WERE ALL OUT EARLY TODAY

Getting Ready for Opening of the Big Los Angeles Meeting.

LOS ANGELES Dec 23.—The hangars at Dominguez field buzzed today with motors that were being tested in preparation for the second annual international aviation meet which begins tomorrow. Scores of mechanics under the direction of the foreign and American aviators worked on the aeroplanes which will open the competition.

Charles F. Willard, with his combination American and French machine, made a few short trial flights today. Hubert Latham, who shot ducks while in flight aboard his Antoinette yesterday, also tried out the air currents, but all the birdmen carefully avoided going up together. The racing is reserved for tomorrow.

OLEO CHAMPIONS SEEK NEW SUPPORT

Democratic Advocates Plan No Action Until Next Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Democrats advocating the pro-oleomargarine legislation expect to secure passage of some general measure along that line at the next Congress, when their party is in control.

Various bills designed either to minimize or repeal the tax on oleomargarine, which is now ten cents if colored, and one-fourth of a cent if uncolored, were taken up by the House committee on Agriculture during the last session. Hearings were held at which Representative Burleson of Texas and others voiced their views. The committee reached no conclusion.

ATTORNEY BIRD DIES—IN SAN JOSE HOME

SAN JOSE, Dec. 23.—Attorney C. T. Bird, who for many years had been a prominent attorney in this city, died this morning after a brief illness, of pneumonia. He leaves a widow and family.

AROUND THE WORLD CRUISES

TWO GRAND CRUISES of about three and one half months' duration by the large Transatlantic steamer CLEVELAND. First cruise to leave New York Nov. 1, 1911; second to leave San Francisco Feb. 17, 1912. Also cruises to the Orient, West Indies, and South America. Cost, including all necessary expenses $650 up. Hamburg-American Line, 45 Bdwy, N. Y., Or Local Agent

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L. A. TO S. F. ROUND TRIP RECORD BROKEN

Cadillac Thirty Covers Distance in 32½ Hours; Drivers Arrested.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 23.—Although arrested at Ventura, and also having to drive many miles through a thick fog, George Adair, in the Cadillac thirty, smashed the round-trip record between Los Angeles and San Francisco yesterday, beating the time of the White steamer, the previous record holder. The Cadillac reached the Times office ruins at First and Broadway at 1:35 p. m. The time for the round trip is thus 32 hours and 35 minutes. The previous record was 36 hours and 38 minutes, held by the White car owned by Fernando Nelson of San Francisco.

Don Lee, owner of the Cadillac, now holds the Fernando Nelson trophy, one of the handsomest ever offered for an automobile run in the west.

The record run of the Cadillac was the most remarkable ever made over the highways of the coast route. The Cadillac started on the round trip Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock. Adair took the car to Santa Maria, 206 miles away, making the trip in six hours and thirty minutes, smashing all previous records by more than an hour.

BREAK ALL RECORDS.

W. W. Bramlett then took the wheel and drove the car over the San Juan grade at terrific speed through Gilroy, along the smooth boulevard to San Jose, and reached San Francisco in 14 hours, 14 minutes and 30 seconds, breaking all other marks and also lowering the one-way record of the Thomas 1 hour, 55 minutes and 30 seconds.

At San Francisco "Doc Green, manager for the Lee Motor Car Company of Los Angeles, ordered the return trip, and 25 minutes later the Cadillac was on the way back to Los Angeles. This start was made at 8:20:25 Wednesday night, and by 5 o'clock the following morning Bramlett reached Santa Maria. At that point Adair took the wheel again after his strenuous drive of the day before and made another fast run.

ARRESTED AT VENTURA.

The record was almost spoiled at Ventura, where Adair was arrested. He was taken to the jail in that city, but after explaining how fast had been the trip of the Cadillac and what depended upon his continuing, he was released and allowed to continue the journey.

One of the remarkable features of this run is the fact that Adair drove for 40 miles through a very thick fog which hung over the San Marcos pass, one of the most dangerous grades in the west to cross. He averaged for the run from Los Angeles to Santa Maria 32½ miles an hour, the fastest time ever made over any stretch of highway by a stock automobile.

ADAIR IS DARING DRIVER.

Adair has come into prominence as one of the great automobile drivers of the west. He now holds the most coveted record on the Pacific coast. He has earned the Fernando Nelson cup for the owners of his car and now intends to go after other records with the Cadillac.

The record was riotously celebrated in the business section this afternoon, a procession of automobiles following the Cadillac through the principal streets, which were crowded with Christmas shoppers.

NEW LAWS FRAMED FOR PANAMA LANDS

The Latest Legislation Enables Americans to Escape Restrictions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—In answer to an inquiry by the State Department as to the effect of recent legislation in Panama regarding foreign ownership of lands it is learned that the decree simply removes a prohibition upon the holding of Panama lands by aliens whose governments do not permit Panamanians to hold lands in their countries.

As many American states prohibit alien landlordism, Americans under the old law would be unable to secure title to lands in Panama, a situation which is met by the new legislation.

There is no information in the State Department to indicate the existence of a plan for the wholesale acquisition of lands in Panama by foreigners. The department, however, has not failed to let it be known to the government of Panama that it would view with regret any wholesale and inconsiderable disposal of the timber lands in the republic to foreign syndicates.

WOMAN NEAR DEATH FROM ASPHYXIATION

Turns Jet Too Far; Falls to Sleep and Is Found Unconscious.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Unfamiliarity with the use of illuminating gas almost cost the life of Mrs. Franci Petpert, 45, of Charles and Arlington streets. She was found unconscious at 3 this morning.

The woman turned the stopcock completely round. Some one in the house detected the odor. Mrs. Petpert was removed to Central Emergency Hospital, and is expected to recover.

TWO ARE VICTIMS OF WIND AND ICE

Skaters Stumble Over Body of Ice Boat's Pilot; Another Found Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Skaters on Great South Bay near Patchogue, L. I., stumbled on the body of George Brown, lying face downward on the ice. Two miles away they found an ice boat in which lay the rigid body of Desmond Strong, 15 years old.

The craft evidently threw its pilot, Brown, who lay unconscious on the ice until dead, and the terrified lad apparently remained with the boat, at the mercy of the wind, until he, too, was frozen.

STARS TO SING OPERA CLASSIC

Offenbach's "Love Tales of Hoffmann" to Be on Bill.

Offenbach's delightful fantasie, "The Love Tales of Hoffmann," will be sung by the Bevani Grand Opera company at the Macdonough theater this evening. The quaint story and catchy music has made the "Love Tales" one of the most popular of the Bevani offerings. The seat sale for this evening has been large and indications point to the record house of the engagement.

Umberto Sacchetti will sing the role of Hoffmann. His three loved ones will be sung by Regina Vicarino, who has scored an emphatic hit in this role wherever the opera has been produced. Other principals in the cast will be Achille Alberti, Joseph Florian and Edmee de Dreux.

Tomorrow will bring the Bevani engagement to an end. In the afternoon "Martha" will be the bill. At the evening performance "Lucia," with Vicarino in the title role, will be the offering.

ARMY IN PURSUIT OF REBEL TRIBESMEN

MANILA, Dec. 23.—The army is energetically pursuing the rebellious Manobos tribesmen in Mindanao Islands. Troops of the Second Cavalry are punishing the perpetrators of the outrages on the planters in the Davao district.

Brigadier General Pershing, commanding the Department of Mindanao has arrived here and assumed command of the army of the Philippines pending the arrival of the recently appointed commander, Major-General Bell.

CLAPP CHARGES WIFE TRIED TO MURDER HIM

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23.—H. Mason Clapp, a wealthy club man, shot in the neck during a quarrel with his wife December 12, disproved rumors that they were to be reconciled by swearing before a magistrate that she deliberately shot him. She was held in $2000 bail. The warrant charges intent to kill.

Clapp swore that she shot him when he attempted to slap her.

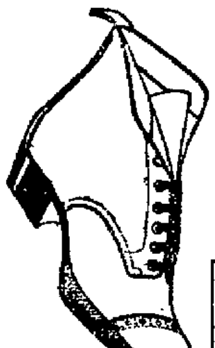
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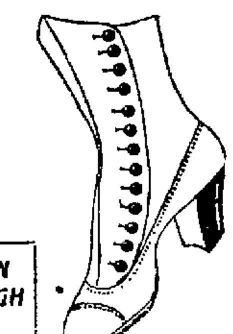
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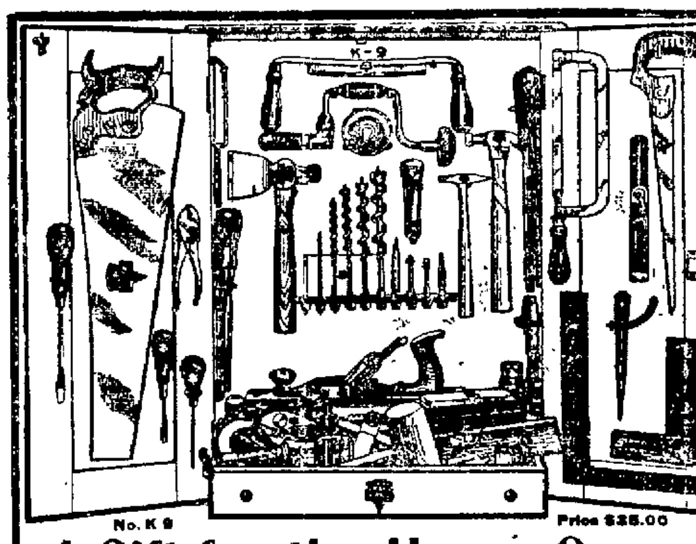
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WANTS GIRL REARED AS AN AMERICAN

This Request Part of Will Left by Late Mrs. Edith Wood.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—A patriotic young mother, realizing that she was on her death bed, and yet thinking only of her husband and child, has left a somewhat unique will which was filed today and which calls upon her sorrowing husband to raise her child under the Stars and Stripes of America. It was when she lay dying that Mrs. Edith Wood, 32 years old, with an ordinary lead pencil, wrote the following testament:

"Thinking perhaps I will never get over this illness, I wish the balance of my bank book to be turned over to my husband, Albert Wood, without any trouble of any kind. I hope he will continue to be a good father to my little girl, Gertie, and give her a good school education, and above all, I ask that she be raised under the Stars and Stripes of America.

"EDITH WOOD."

The husband was granted letters of administration, the money in the bank amounting to $950.66.

PORTUGUESE PLAN NEW GOVERNMENT

New President of Republic Will Be Chosen for Term of Five Years.

LISBON, Dec. 23.—The plan of the government for the new Portuguese republic has been elaborated by the provisional government. It is based upon the parliamentary system office, with certain modifications adopted from the United States.

The President of the republic will be chosen by a parliament for a term of five years and be ineligible for re-election until a regular term has intervened. As in France, the cabinet will be appointed by the President, in accordance with the political complexion of the legislative body, but the ministers of war, finance and public works being considered non-political, will continue irremovable in the event that the government loses the confidence of parliament. Members of parliament will be elected for three years.

CLERGY GIVE LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF COLLEAGUE

Dr. H. J. Vosburgh, the retiring secretary of the California Baptist Relief committee, which disbursed $150,000 in rehabilitating the Baptist churches in San Francisco after the fire, was the guest at a luncheon given at the St. Francis Hotel yesterday by a number of fellow-preachers, preliminary to his departure for New York. Among those who partook of the luncheon were the Revs. C. M. Hill, R. M. Vaughan, Robert Newton Lynch, James Sunderland, Louis J. Sawyer and George B. Burlingame.

MAYOR OF RENO SPENDS DAY HERE

A. M. Britt Predicts Great Things in Near Future for Nevada.

Mayor A. M. Britt, of Reno, Nevada, who was elected to office two years ago after one of the bitterest political campaigns in Nevada's history, was in Oakland today on his way to Santa Cruz, where he will pass the holidays.

Nevada was never in a more flourishing condition, according to the official, who declares that from a farming, mining and manufacturing standpoint, the commonwealth is the nation's "comer."

"The calamity howlers who predicted death for the State with the demise of gambling, have been shown the folly of their prognostication," said Mayor Britt. "Business was never better and the merchants of Reno, for example, declare their profits will be greater this year than any since the mining boom.

RAILROAD ACTIVITY.

"We are looking for either the Western Pacific or the Hill system to seek entrance into Reno over the Nevada-California-Oregon, and the fact that it is hinted that the latter road is to be broadgauged in the near future seems to confirm our hopes.

"The Southern Pacific has been double-tracking over the mountain and is now working at Reno's gates, on the western side of the city. Work is going ahead and the system will be improved right along. The meaning of a number of railroad surveyors in the vicinity of the city means something for us but we don't know what just yet.

"Because Reno is an outlet for an entire State, and that it is situated in the midst of a section rich in accomplishment, present production and possibilities has made it an attraction for more than one system. There are great things in store for us, and in the near future, at that."

Mayor Britt spent a few hours in Oakland today on a visit to friends. He will leave tonight for Santa Cruz.

BURGLAR MAKES A PROFITABLE HAUL

Open Door of Residence Gives Thief Easy Access to Booty.

An open door attracted a daylight burglar yesterday afternoon to enter the residence of Mrs. L. Barton at 714 Seventeenth street. He was well rewarded for his trouble in ransacking the house by the discovery of jewelry, including several diamond rings with Tiffany settings, brooches and other valuables, and worth $217. He succeeded in making good his escape with the jewels, and the police have no clew to the identity of the thief.

After trying in vain to force a rear door of the residence of H. J. Jenkins last evening with a jimmie, a burglar climbed over the roof of a shed at the back of the house and, smashing a small hole in the glass pane of a bedroom window, turned the latch and opened the window. He ransacked the place and obtained jewelry and garments valued at $31. The burglary was committed about 8 o'clock last evening.

GOV.-ELECT JOHNSON RETURNS FROM THE EAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Governor-elect Hiram W. Johnson, accompanied by Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, and others of the San Francisco exposition campaigners, returned from Washington and New York last night. Johnson reports having secured promises of the vote of progressive Republicans in both houses for the big fair being held here in 1915.

Johnson also told about Theodore Roosevelt's plan of coming out here in March to deliver several lectures at the University of California. He also told of the hopes and plans of that branch of the Republican party united under Senator La Follette.

Others are due to arrive from the East tomorrow, among them Frank L. Brown, chairman of the publicity committee of the exposition; R. B. Hale, acting president of the exposition; Governor J. N. Gillett and William R. Hearst.

THE OAKLAND MARKET

TWELFTH STREET AT BROADWAY

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Creamery Departm'nt

SPECIALS FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS DINNER.

BUTTER will be churned early Saturday morning from an extra select shipment of cream and extra pains will be taken to make this butter the most delicious to be had in Oakland.

EGGS—Our May and June storage are extra large, clean, white. Every egg guaranteed.

May Storage, per dozen 30c
June Storage, select, per dozen..35c
June Storage, select, two dozen..65c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen 45c

CAKES—Artistically decorated Christmas Cakes. Pineapple, Butter Cream, Mocha, Banana and Chocolate Layers 50c

Macaroons, Lady-fingers, Butter Wafers and Tea Cakes.

PIES—Mince Pies, extra filled, home-made. Pumpkin Pies, home-made.

ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING. Home made. Extra fine.

CHRISTMAS CANDIES.

Assorted Chocolates, ½-lb box ...25c
Assorted Chocolates, 1-lb. box.....40c
French Mixed, ½-lb. box 25c
French Mixed, 1-lb. box 40c
Broken Mixed, 15c per lb. 2 lbs...25c
Plain Mixed, 15c per lb., 2 lbs.....25c
Christmas Cream Mixed, 20c per lb., 2 lbs. 35c

All our Candies are home made. Fresh daily.

Our Ice Cream Chocolates are delicious. Try them. (None better to be had.)

Meat Departm'nt

This Department will be a maze of the very FINEST MEATS ever sold in Oakland.

This Space is inadequate to mention even part of the Bargains offered.

Our Quality Talks for Itself

Do not miss our Window and Stall Display

C. E. SCHMIDT

HILL'S Tea and Coffee Departm'nt

WE ARE STILL SELLING SUGAR (Best granulated Cane)

11 lbs. for 50c

When purchased with other goods in the department to the amount of 50c or over.

Hill's Crown Brand Ceylon Tea is tea in its highest perfection, sold in sealed lead packets, so as to retain its garden freshness, delicate Aroma and delicious flavor.

50c per pound; 5 pounds, $2.25.

Hill's Popular Blend Coffee represents the very cream of the plantations, scientifically blended. (A fitting finish to your Christmas dinner.)

35c per pound, 3 pounds $1.00.

Hill's pure spices, 25c per pound, freshly ground. Sold in tins or in bulk.

All the popular brands of Baking Powder, Flavoring Extracts and Olive Oil.

Sample line of beautiful hand-painted China, suitable for Christmas gifts, at prices far below crockery stores.

PHONES, Oakland 3503. Home A-2691.
FREE DELIVERY.

Christmas Specials Family Liquor Departm'nt

Whisky, "Old Crow," regular $1.25. .....$1.10
Special Yellow Label.
Jessie Moore C., per bottle, reg. $1.00 .....70c
O. P. S., full quart, Red Label, ...90c
Old Familiar Brand.
Large flask good whisky ...25c

BRANDY.

Martell or Henessey, per bottle, ...$1.45
Genuine Imported.
Rum—Jamaica or New England, per bottle $1.00
Wine—Port or Sherry, per gal., ...65c
Zinfandel, per gal. 60c
Claret, per gal. 40c
Riesling, per gal. 60c
Chianti, white or red, per bottle 65c

All our liquors are guaranteed under the pure food law. Our prices are the lowest.

ROW BREAKS OUT IN BIG EXCHANGE

Misdirection of Funds by Secretary, Charge Merchants of San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Following the accusations of extravagance, self-interest and financial mismanagement against T. Cary Friedlander, who for twenty years has been secretary of San Francisco's Merchants' Exchange, a veritable pandemonium has resulted among the members of that organization, many of them refusing to pay their assessments until they are furnished with details of the disbursements of the exchange during a portion of Friedlander's secretaryship. They charge that Friedlander's reports deal in totals and generalities only.

ASSESSMENT WORRIES.

The seriousness of the situation is shown in the wording of the assessment notice, which reads as follows:

"Gentlemen: Your finance committee has carefully examined the financial status of the Merchants' Exchange and finds that certain obligations, for sinking fund requirements and money borrowed, will shortly accrue that can not be met from the ordinary receipts.

"In order to enable the Merchants' Exchange to meet its obligations we would, therefore, in conformity with a recommendation made by the preceding board of directors, now recommend that an assessment be levied upon the membership of the Merchants' Exchange in such sum as the board of directors may decide.

"Yours very truly,
"WM. J. DUTTON,
"E. W. FERGUSON,
"B. SINSHEIMER,
"Finance Committee."

LEADS REVOLT.

The leader in the revolt against the secretary regime is R. E. Mulcahey, local representative of the New York stock brokerage firm of E. F. Hutton & Co.

Friedlander's salary is $50, besides the various incidental sums he receives, such as $25 for each transfer of membership and $5 for every meeting of an arbitration board.

It is held that by abolishing Friedlander's position and increasing the salary of one of his assistants by $10 a month, by abandoning and renting the secretary's luxurious quarters and restricting him to the lower floor offices, fully $15,000 a year may be saved. The exchange now is losing about $10,000 annually.

CHRISTMAS JINKS HELD BY ELKS OF BERKELEY

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—The annual Christmas jinks of the Berkeley Elks Lodge, No. 1002, was held Wednesday night with a Christmas tree, living portraits, monologue and other features of entertainment. Gifts were distributed to the members from a tree by W. H. Bray, costumed as Santa Claus.

A novel number on the program was a Chinese "stunt" introducing members of the Chinese-American Club, by C. Putnam Gray, assisted by E. T. Brown and a phonograph. A recitation was contributed by Harry Miller and monologues by Press Woodruff, "the Arkansaw humorist," and Cyrus Newton.

Legerdemain feats were performed by C. T. Jordan. The living portraits, which caused considerable merriment, were posed by L. E. Schuessler, J. D. Waterman, F. M. Scoonover, C. B. Mills, W. L. Woodward, W. H. Bray and Al Boo. The latter is a cook at the Elks' Club. He refused to be discomfited by the jibes of members of the audience.

Music was furnished during the evening by an orchestra and by the Alameda quartet.

WOMAN RUN DOWN BY TEAM IN STREET

While crossing Broadway near Fourteenth street last evening, Mrs. Rose Burgess of 2260 Fourteenth street was run down and knocked to the pavement by a horse and buggy driven by H. Hansen of 86 Claremont avenue. The woman was carried to the office of Dr. H. L. Herrick in the Central Bank building, where it was found that her injuries were of no moment. She was taken to her home.

MONEY DISAPPEARS; HOLDUP CHARGED

Driver Crowe Loses Firm's Coin and Claims He Was Robbed.

A wild story of a holdup was told by Albert Crowe, a driver for the Black Package store, last evening. The case is being investigated by local detectives.

He said he was knocked down and robbed of $5 of his own money and several hundred belonging to the firm, while H. C. Mesengill, his companion on the delivery automobile was delivering a packing at 1013 Filbert street.

Crowe said he held the door open for Mesengill and returned to repair the auto. While stooping over, he said, a man stepped up behind him, struck him with a heavy weapon, and went through his pockets. He was recovering consciousness when Mesengill returned.

Mesengill said Crowe appeared dazed when he found him.

SOLDIERS BEAT UP ARTIST IN FIGHT

Midnight Brawl Ends in the Serious Injury of One of Participants.

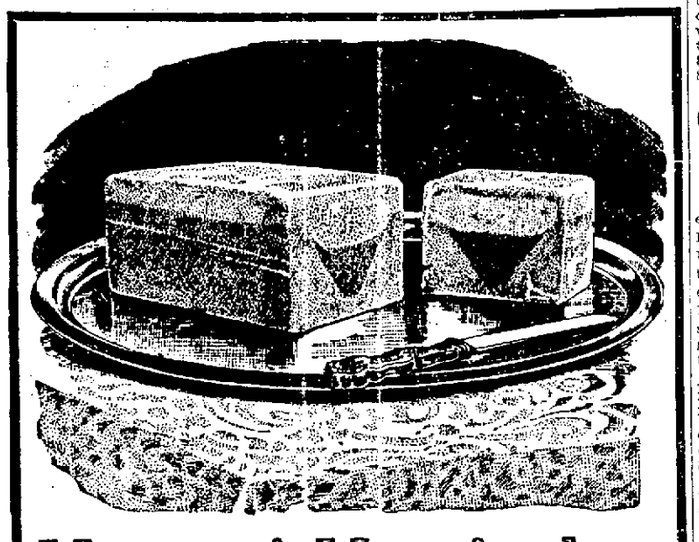
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Frank Simons, an artist living at 1136 Post street, was severely beaten up in a quarrel with two soldiers in Fillmore street at 12:30 this morning.

When taken to the Central Emergency Hospital it was found he had suffered a broken collar bone and other injuries. Policemen Galavin and Nolan arrested three soldiers a short time later and one of them will be charged with battery for the assault of Simons.

INDICTMENTS AGAINST FORMER CONGRESSMAN HERMANN CHARGES DISMISSED BY PROSECUTION.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23.—Judge C. E. Wolverton of the federal court yesterday dismissed all charges against Binger Hermann, ex-congressman and ex-commissioner of the general land offices, on motion of Francis J. Heney, attorney for the prosecution.

Hermann was indicted February 13, 1905, but was not tried until the month of January, this year. In asking for the dismissal of the charges Heney held that the humane provisions of the statute of limitations in relation to criminal offenses fix a period of three years after a crime has been committed, as the utmost limits within which an indictment may be brought, unless the offense was murder.



Hurray! Here's the Christmas Dessert!

—Here's the best news of the year!
—The story of our Xmas Dessert!
—Way back in September we began to plan this dessert, for it was then that we first realized that Xmas was approaching.
—"I want the best dessert for Xmas that you ever turned out," said a regular customer a week ago.
—"You'll get it," answered Mr. Lehnhardt. "I've already planned it and it's a wonder. Here it is:

TUTTI FRUTTI ICE CREAM
LEMON ICE
VANILLA ICE CREAM

—"I don't see anything very wonderful about that," replied the customer.
—"It's the combination," replied Mr. Lehnhardt. "It's absolutely new and you've no idea how delicious it is. In fact, I consider it the most perfect combination of flavors I ever arranged."
—Just wait until you taste it!

50 cents for a quart brick if you call for it
80 cents for a quart brick if we deliver it to your home

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Lehnhardt's

Christmas Desserts **Christmas Candies** Christmas Novelties

Broadway, Between 13th and 14th
Telephones—Oakland 496, Home A-3497.

A Christmas Present for Her

For the last Christmas shopping hours we offer your choice of any of the

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we have left for

$8.95

This Lot Includes
BLACK LYNX SETS— Worth up to $25.00
JAP MINK SETS— Worth up to $30.00
ICELAND FOX SETS— Worth up to $30.00

Drummers' Sample Shop

Rooms 284-285-286-287 Bacon Building.
Third Floor Bacon Building. Take Elevator.
OPEN TILL 10 P. M.

LEWIS The Turkey King 467 Ninth Street



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24c to 28c Lb.

Finest of the Flock

HAMS

Finest Eastern Sugar-Cured—The Best Made Per Pound..... 15½c

Holiday Sale

Special Offerings in Every Department

$3.95 For beautiful Dresden Silk Petticoats; deep stitched and tucked flounce; would be cheap at $5.00.

Reduction Sale of Fine Waists

Liberal discounts on our extensive stock of Silk and Lace Waists.

Special Values in Sweaters

$1.95 For Ladies' $2.50 All-Wool Coat Sweaters, in plain colors.

$1.25 For Children's $2.00 Saxony Yarn Sweaters.

Children's $1.25 Fur Sets—Special at 95c

Splendid assortment of 35c Handkerchiefs—Special at 25c

The Cloak Department

Offers unusual opportunities for big savings.

Every Garment Reduced

$20.00 full length Caracul Coats—Special at $12.95

Mosbacher's

CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE.

Thirteenth and Washington Streets.

In Sending Money to Europe for Christmas

make use of our Foreign Exchange Department and

Remit by Foreign Draft

It is the Safest, Cheapest and Most Convenient Way of sending money abroad.

We issue these drafts on Europe, Asia and Africa—they are payable in the currency of the country on which they are drawn.

Central National Bank

Oakland California

Capital : : : : : : : $1,000,000
Surplus and Profits : : $186,000

Crosses Sierras and Great Salt Lake by Daylight

San Francisco

"Overland Limited"

Electric Lights in Each Berth

Southern Pacific

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Broadway and Thirteenth st., Oakland; Oakland, Sixteenth Street Depot; Oakland, Seventh and Broadway Depot; Oakland, First and Broadway.

Try Long "The Coffee Man's" 25c Coffee

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HAUNTED BY FEAR, WOMAN IS SUICIDE

Mrs. Josephine Mullen Takes Life Rather Than Become Insane.

SAN MATEO, Dec 23—Haunted by the fear that her mind was becoming unbalanced, a fear so overwhelming that she was unable to shake off the dread presentiment, Mrs. Josephine Mullen, 40 years old, committed suicide at 5:30 last night by shooting herself in the head at her home, 108 South C street, in this city

On a couch in an adjoining room lay the bedridden mother of the suicide, wholly unconscious of the pitiful tragedy that was being enacted a few steps away, the muffled report of the .32-caliber revolver with which the deed was done having failed to reach her ears.

While the specter-haunted woman was preparing for the final chapter in her poor little tragedy her twelve-year-old daughter Daisy, with her mother's farewell to the world in her pocket, was playing with a neighbor's children.

Shortly before 5:30 p. m. Mrs Mullen sent Daisy with a note to be delivered to Mrs. J. B. Falvey, on Ellsworth street, a short distance from the Mullen home. Daisy stopped to play in the yard with the Falvey children, and half an hour later, when Mrs. Falvey asked her why she had come over, she delivered the forgotten note.

COMES TOO LATE.

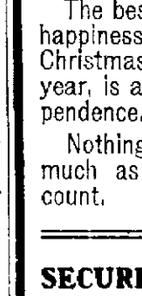
The note informed Mrs Falvey of Mrs. Mullen's intention to kill herself, but the information came too late to prevent the consummation of the tragedy. Mrs. Falvey notified Deputy Coroner G. W. Snider and Constable Mike Sheehan, who went to the Mullen home and found the unfortunate woman dead in the front room. The bullet had entered behind the left ear and penetrated the brain. She had fallen partly out of the chair in which she had been sitting, facing a large mirror, the revolver still tightly clutched in her right hand.

Before killing herself, Mrs. Mullen had written a letter to her husband, Charles H. Mullen, who lives at 1216 London street, San Francisco, and is employed at the Crescent Feather Works, at Nineteenth and Harrison, and also a note to Snider, who is an undertaker, regarding the disposition of her body.

In her note to Mrs. Falvey, Mrs. Mullen said she believed she was going crazy and had decided that she would be better off dead than alive. She asked Mrs Falvey to take care of Daisy and not let her husband's sisters have her. The woman begged her husband in her farewell note to him to let Mrs. Falvey have Daisy, so the child be brought up with children of her own age.

ECZEMA ON HANDS FOR TEN YEARS

Were Raw All Over—Was Spreading to Body and Limbs—Used Cuticura and was Cured—Also Cured Daughter's Eczema.



"I had eczema on my hands for ten years. At first it would break out only in winter. Then it finally came to stay. I had three good doctors to do all they could but none of them did any good. I then used one box of Cuticura Ointment and three bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and was completely cured. My hands were raw all over, inside and out, and the eczema was spreading all over my body and limbs. Before I had used one bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, together with the Cuticura Ointment, my sores were nearly healed over, and by the time I had used the third bottle, I was entirely well. I had a good appetite and was fleshier than I ever was. To any one who has any skin or blood disease I would honestly advise them to feel with nothing else, but to get Cuticura and get well. My hands, cured by the use of Cuticura, have never given me the least bit of trouble up to now. I cannot recommend Cuticura highly enough. It has done me and my family so much good. My daughter's hands this summer became perfectly raw with eczema. She could get nothing that would do them any good until she tried Cuticura. She used two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and one box of Cuticura Ointment and in two weeks they were entirely cured. I have used Cuticura for other members of my family and it always proved successful. I recommend it to any one with eczema. After once using it you will never use anything else. Mrs. M. E. Falin, Speers Ferry, Va., Oct. 10, 1909."

Cuticura is the most economical treatment for affections of the skin and scalp. A cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment are often sufficient. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

A Happy Christmas

---that's our wish for everybody.

BUT---a wish will not make it so. It can only encourage.

You must do something yourself.

The best foundation for happiness, not only at Christmas, but all the year, is a feeling of independence.

Nothing helps quite so much as a savings account.

SECURITY BANK AND TRUST CO.

S. E. Cor. 11th and Broadway
H. C. Capwell.....Pres.
A. D. Wilson.....Vice-Pres.
C. A. Smith.....Cashier

HICHBORN FAILS IN TRAILING WIFE

Wife of Washington Man Escapes Him Under Mysterious Circumstances.

ATLANTIC CITY, Dec. 23—Mrs Philip Hichborn, who disappeared from Washington last Friday at the same time that Horace Wylie dropped out of sight escaped from her husband under most dramatic circumstances, members of the family here now admit

It is known that she carefully planned a secret departure, and expected to be on the way to Europe before she could be intercepted. That she was successful in carrying out these arrangements is owing only to the failure of her husband and young Henry M. Hoyt, Jr., as detectives.

Mrs. Hichborn left two notes at her home when she went away. They told something of her plans

LETTER TO HUSBAND.

One of the brief communications was addressed to her mother, Mrs. Henry M. Hoyt, who was at the time at the Brighton hotel in Atlantic City. The other was to her husband

These farewell messages fell into the hands of the young husband first and he hurried to Atlantic City.

He wired Henry M Hoyt, his brother-in-law, and together they searched New York hotels and the passenger list of the Mauretania, without finding any trace of the couple. Whether they succeeded in getting away is not certain, but it is certain that Mrs. Hichborn is not in Atlantic City, as alleged.

RUMORS OF INTERCEPTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—Yesterday there were rumors that as a result of the letter Mrs Hichborn left for her mother, Hichborn succeeded in intercepting his wife at Philadelphia and carrying her away before the elopement had been completed. Samuel E. Swayze, law partner of Philip Hichborn, declared that Mrs. Hichborn was with her husband in Atlantic City.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Horace Wylie and Mrs. Philip Hichborn were not among the Mauretania's passengers, so far as can be learned. Their names do not appear on the passenger list. The ship's officers declare they were not aboard.

ANNOUNCE CHANGES IN TAX PAYMENTS

State Board of Equalization Issues Instructions to County Officers.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 23 — The State Board of Equalization issued instructions relative to changes in the method of assessment and computation of taxes by reason of the ratification at the last general election of constitutional amendments providing for a separation of state revenues from those of the counties, and providing $5,000,000 to be raised by four annual tax levies as an aid to the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

By virtue of the first amendment, the property of all public service corporations, excepting water companies, is to be taxed on a gross earning basis, and all property used exclusively in the operation of the business is to be exempt from all other forms of taxation. The State Board adds that the ratification of the exposition amendment cotemporaneously with the separation amendment renders it imperative that the ad valorem system of taxation shall continue for at least four years for the purpose of raising the $5,000,000.

The State Board finds that it becomes necessary to make a classification of the property to show the jurisdiction for assessment The State Board has divided it into the following nine divisions; Local property, including real estate and improvements; personal property, property of water companies, including franchises; nonoperative property of corporations whose operative property is assessable by the State Board and taxed on their gross earnings and premiums; operative property of corporations falling under amendment No. 1 to be taxed on their gross earnings, the assessor to assess only on such property as is liable for past assessments the real estate and improvements belonging to banks; the personal property of banks, which will only be liable for the exposition tax; insurance companies; franchises of all corporations other than those named in the third division; franchises, roadway, rails and rolling stock of all steam railways.

The assessor and tax collector will be required to collect the tax for the Panama Exposition.

$95,000,000 SPENT BY AMERICAN PEOPLE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Victor H. Olmstead, chief of the Agriculture Department's Bureau of Statistics, figured out yesterday that Christmas this year will cost the American people about $90,000,000 in cash and perhaps $5,000,000 in debts. In Professor Olmstead's opinion, not more than one-half of the people of the United States this year will make presents that cost actual money. Of the remaining 46,000,000 a few will not give presents because they do not believe in the custom; more will not give because of their religious beliefs; still more will not make presents because they live in out-of-the-way places remote from stores A vast number will not give because they have hardly enough to clothe and feed themselves and their families.

HALF-MILE TRAINS OVER MOUNTAINS

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—Freight trains half a mile long are now being run on the mountain division of the Southern Pacific system, where the grades are as steep in places as 2½ per cent. To further economize operating expenses on the division the Southern Pacific has increased the tonnage on westbound freight trains from forty-five to sixty cars, using three consolidated engines and one Mallet engine.

The initial run with this train was made from Sparks to Roseville in 13 hours and 10 minutes. Conductor Van Cleave was in charge of the train. The experiment proved such a success in every detail that Sacramento officials say the arrangement is permanent.

Never Before in Our History

Have we shown such a variety of snappy, up-to-the-minute styles in shoes. This year our display is easily ahead of our best showing in former years.

The reason we do the largest shoe business in Oakland, and one of the largest on the Pacific Coast, is because the public realizes it is extravagance to pay exorbitant prices for shoes when we sell such makes as Howard & Foster, Linder Shoe Co. and Red Cross Shoes at the price of the common kind.

WHERE THE CROWD GOES THE PRICES AND STYLES MUST BE RIGHT



Women's New Style Stage Last Boot $4

We are justly proud of our display of fourteen-button boots for women. Never before have we been able to present such an imposing array.

On the new stage last as illustrated. Comes in Patent, Gun Metal and Tan leathers. They are made by the Lindner Shoe Co. Other concerns get $5 for this quality.

Our Small Profit Price **$4**

$4

Women's Black Velvet 14-Button Boot $4



on the new stage last, same style as cut illustrated. This is not the cheap velvet with which the market is flooded, but Velooze stock, the richest, glossiest velvet imaginable. Made by the Lindner Shoe Co., one of the finest makers of shoes in the United States. This quality of shoes is sold by other concerns at $5 to as high as $7.50. Our small profit price **$4**

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Only Shoe Store On 14th Street **Park Shoe Co.** Bet. Broadway and Washington

475 FOURTEENTH STREET.

NORTHERN STEAMERS TO BEGIN SERVICE IN APRIL

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 23 — Steamship service between American and British Columbia ports will be started by the Canadian Northern steamers next spring The steamships Duke of Connaught and Duke of Clarence, for this service, are nearing completion and will arrive here in April from England.

The two steamers will be operated between Seattle and Stewart, B. C., with calls at Victoria and Vancouver. Stewart is the most northerly sea port in British Columbia.

THIEVES TAKE POISON WITH STOLEN MACHINE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23. — In plundering the automobile of Dr. A. F. Higgins while the physician was visiting thieves took enough poison to kill a score of persons.

So numerous were the articles stolen that it would have taken one man a number of trips to carry them away.

MINING COMPANY MUST PAY DEBTS

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—The Rawhide Mining Company must pay John C. Davis $1714.60, representing amounts called for in sixty-eight checks or drafts drawn by the mining company, according to a decision handed down by Judge Chipman in the Court of Appeals yesterday, in which he affirms a judgment rendered in the Tuolumne county Superior Court. Originally the mining company had issued checks to its employes for labor, making them payable to one Charles Zany.

It was agreed that when Zany had paid out checks amounting to $500 that the company would reimburse him. After Zany had paid checks amounting to approximately $2000 and was unable to collect, he assigned his claim to Davis, who brought suit and was awarded $1714.60 and the costs of suit by the lower court.

WILL STUDY AVIATION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—A naval officer will shortly be selected by Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop to study aviation. He will report to Glenn H. Curtiss, who is now on the Pacific Coast, to receive instructions. No officer has yet been chosen for this duty

MAURETANIA STEAMS IN HARBOR AT NIGHT

FISHGUARD, Dec. 23.—The Mauretania, which left Liverpool on December 18 in an attempt to make a record voyage to New York and return in twelve days, arrived at 10:22 o'clock last night.

It was the first time a disembarkation at night by a big liner had been attempted at this port. The harbor was ablaze with searchlights, flares and rockets. Crowds cheered as the Mauretania steamed in, her band playing and her decks crowded with passengers.

Six hundred passengers and the mails were landed with expedition.

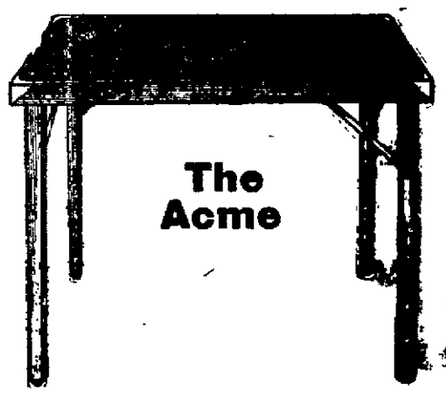
W. R. Holt, the correspondent who "did" America in thirty-six hours, rushed to London by special train.

CELEBRATE SUN'S ADVENT.

SKAGWAY, Alaska, Dec. 23.—Camp Skagway No. 1, the mother camp of the Arctic Brotherhood, celebrated the triumph of the sun over the powers of darkness on the eve of the shortest day of the year. The brotherhood pursued and captured the prince of darkness, tied him to a stake and burned him to ashes. As the fire died away a tableau was unveiled, representing the queen of the arctic seated on the pedestal of virtue.

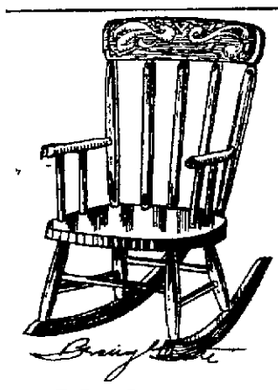
SATURDAY Xmas Special

$2.75 Not Delivered



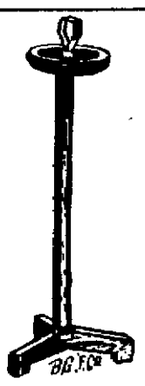
The Acme

The Acme Folding Card Table in either golden oak or mahogany finish. Heavy felted top: all legs rubber-tipped and fold in flush with the top rim, and the table is extra light in weight, yet substantial and strong. This table, Saturday only, $2.75.



Christmas 95c

Dozens of styles at various prices. This one hard wood; saddle seat—Special, Saturday, none delivered, 95c.



Mission or Genuine Mahogany, $1.50

A Smoker that will be appreciated and not expensive. Saturday, while they last, $1.50.



Bissell's Carpet Sweepers

From $2.25 up, and every woman that hasn't one will appreciate just such a gift.

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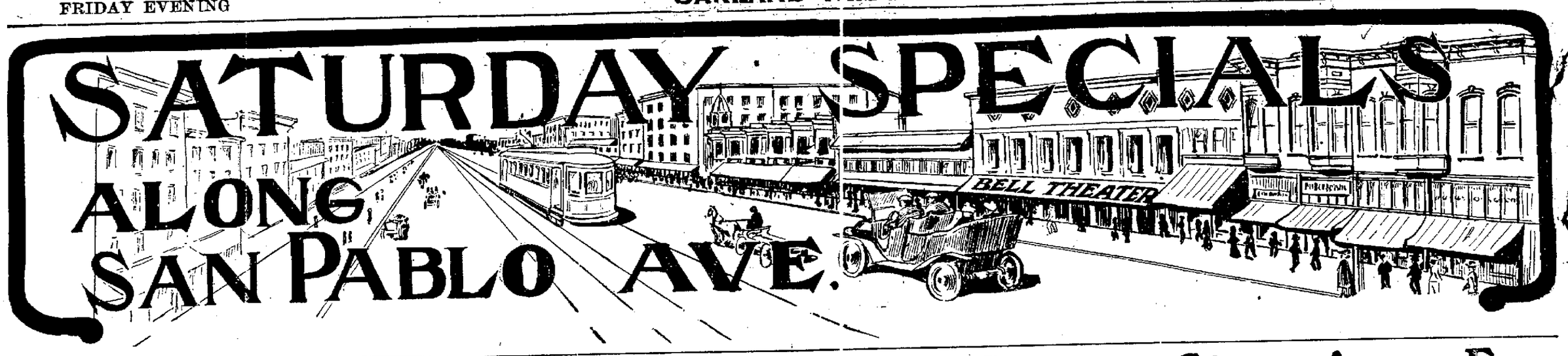
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To every patron of the stores on San Pablo avenue, from 14th to 20th streets. Every Friday remarkable and attrac tive specials are announced on this page of THE TRIBUNE. Coupled with the many opportunities for receiving a prize from the different stores, the economical person looking for good goods at low prices, will be missing a treat and a surprise by omitting to trade on San Pablo avenue.

The stores are already showing marked changes and new stocks, in keeping with the prevailing spirit of progress since the organization of the San Pablo Avenue Business Men's Club a short time ago.

Ask any merchant on San Pablo avenue for a ticket. Prizes to be awarded the first week in January.

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Tomorrow (Saturday) we are going to sell Little Pig Pork at the following special prices:

Legs Young Pork—lb.....16c
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Pork Chops—lb.....15c
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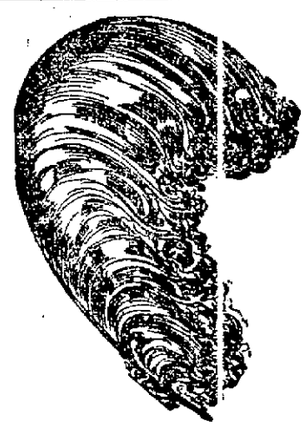
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it will be for your office force if you insist on their buying your January Office Supplies from us.

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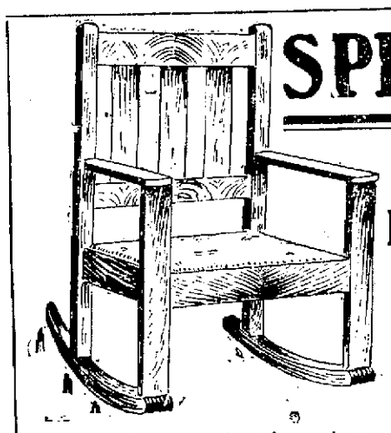
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will be found here in a big variety---Gifts for every member of the household--Practical, sensible, worth-while gifts at the lowest of all low prices---Cash or credit.

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This Handsome Living Room ROCKER

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SPECIAL UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

SCHMIDT'S HIGH-CUT VELVET SHOES Regular Price, $4.00 $2.95

Also specials in men's and ladies' slippers at 75c to $1.45. Reductions in slipper lines. Don't forget the name.

The Old Reliable Firm DE LANCEY'S

WE GIVE COUPONS AND GREEN TRADING STAMPS

UNCLE SAM GETS CHRISTMAS PRESENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Uncle Sam received his first Christmas present yesterday. A shock accompanied it such as would be conveyed to a gentleman 13 years old receiving his first visit from Santa Claus. A few days ago a ranchman wrote from San Antonio to Secretary MacVeagh, asking for a copy of the estimates for the expenses of government for 1911. He inclosed also a one-dollar bill. Robert O. Bailey, MacVeagh's secretary, sent the estimates, showing it will cost the government about $680,000,000 to run things another year, and returned the $1.

Yesterday the ranchman's reply was received. The same one-dollar-bill came with it. "Take my dollar," he wrote, "and pay ten ways against the expenses of ten different departments, with a merry Christmas."

There have been many contributions to the conscience fund, but this is the first time on record that a patriot has made a Christmas present.

NEWSPAPER MEN FINED FOR CRIMINAL LIBEL

MANILA, Dec. 22.—The Supreme Court disposed of the Manila Benacimiento prosecution by sentencing Theodore E. Kalaw, formerly editor of the paper and now a member of the Philippine assembly, to one year's imprisonment and a fine of $8000, and Martin Ocampo, formerly the manager, to six months' imprisonment and a fine of $2000, for having criminally libeled Commissioner Dean C. Worcester.

The case has been in the courts a long time. Ocampo was convicted in December, 1908, and sentenced in the following month. Kalaw was found guilty and sentenced in the spring of 1909.

In January of the present year Worcester was awarded $30,000 damages against the paper. Delays and appeals to the higher court stayed the execution of the sentence of the two men to the present time.

BANKER WILL RETIRE.

LONDON, Dec. 23. — It is announced that Sir Ernest Cassel banker and philanthropist, will retire from business at the end of the year.

CHINA PLACES CONTRACT FOR TRAINING CRUISER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—American naval shipwrights have managed to secure another contract from abroad. Though the boat is a little one, being a training cruiser of 2600 tons, for the Chinese navy, it is believed to be the precursor to other orders. This contract, the signing of which the State Department has just been notified of, is probably the result of the visit to this country last summer of the Chinese commission headed by Tsai Hsun.

Wants to Help Someone.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help someone now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from backache, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude and kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for liver trouble, dyspepsia, blood disorders, female complaints and malaria. Try them. 50c at Osgood Bros.'

BANDIT ROBS TRAIN IN HEART OF CITY

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 23.—The Sunset express, the Southern Pacific passenger train to New Orleans, was robbed in the heart of the city at 7 o'clock last night by a lone highwayman. The bandit boarded the observation car as it was leaving the station. With two drawn revolvers he forced a porter to walk ahead of him through the Pullman and commanded the passengers to stand and deliver. He secured $180 in money and the railway tickets.

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Resorcin is one of the latest and most effective germ-killers discovered by science, and in connection with Beta Naphthol, also a powerful antiseptic, a combination is formed which destroys the germs, which rob the hair of its nutriment, and thus creates a clean and healthy condition of the scalp, which prevents the development of new germs.

Pilocarpine is a well-known agent for restoring the hair to its natural color, where the loss of color has been due to disease. Yet it is not a coloring matter or dye.

The famous Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is chiefly composed of Resorcin, Beta Naphthol and Pilocarpine, combined with pure alcohol, because of its cleansing and antiseptic qualities it makes the scalp healthy nourishes the hair, revitalizes the roots, supplies hair nourishment and stimulates a new growth.

We want you to try a few bottles of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic on our personal guarantee that the trial will not cost you a penny if it does not give absolute satisfaction. That's proof of our faith in this remedy and it should indisputably demonstrate that we know what we are talking about when we say that Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will grow hair on bald heads, except of course where baldness has been of such long duration that the roots of the hair are entirely dead, the follicles closed and grown over, and the scalp is glazed.

Remember, we are basing our statements upon what has already been accomplished by the use of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, and we have the right to assume that what it has done for hundreds of others it will do for you. In any event you cannot lose anything by giving it a trial on our liberal guarantee. Two sizes, 50 cents and $1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at the Owl Drug Company, Inc., 10th and Washington, 13th and Broadway and 16th and San Pablo avenue.

FURS

Russian Lynx Sets $7.50, $10, $12.50, $15

Alaska Lynx Sets $45, $55, $65 and $75

Jap Mink Sets $20, $25, $30 and $35.00

Australian Chinchilla Sets $20, $25, $30, $50

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Ermine Pieces from $15 up to $150

Greatest variety of Children's and Misses' sets on the Pacific Coast. Sets from $1.50 up. Headquarters for Pony Coats.

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SET OF TEETH.....$3.00
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No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered. A written guarantee for 20 years with all work.

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MILLS CONTINUES FUND STARTED BY FATHER

Millionaire Notifies Lick He Will Contribute for Next Two Years.

OFFER IS INCREASED TO $7500 PER ANNUM

Second Offer From Unknown of $200 Monthly for Five Years.

Ogden Mills has notified the regents of the State University that he will provide for the continuance of the Mills Expedition of the Lick Observatory to the Southern Hemisphere, originated by his father, the late D. O. Mills. This offer will continue through a period of two years, from July 1, 1911, to July 1, 1913, giving $7500 a year. The former gifts have been $6000 per annum, and the increase allows for higher salaries and maintenance expense on account of the increased cost of living.

A second offer was reported to the regents yesterday from an unknown friend, who gives $200 a month for five years beginning January 1, 1911, for research in paleontology.

Lee M. Vance has been awarded the contract at $1512 for a concrete silo for the dairy farm at Davis. A contract was awarded the Art Metal Construction Company for the steel furnishings for the new University library at $54,332. These furnishings include book shelves, which will contain 20,000 volumes of matter of the choicest class, which will be open to all schools; steel and bronze cases to contain manuscript, maps and charts and for the exhibition of new books. The entire building and furnishings will be absolutely fireproof and will be opened in August. This building was the result of a bequest by Charles F. Doe.

The same firm was awarded the contract to erect a three-story steel book stack at $9600 in Lawyers' Memorial Hall.

It was voted to build a fire-escape on the University Hospital and to overhaul all the wiring in that building.

It was reported that the Knights of St. Patrick had given $100 to be used in the purchase of Irish books for the university library, that a graduate of the university had given $50 for the purchase of Latin books, that F. M. Smith of Oakland had presented two skeletons which had been recently excavated on Long Island, and that the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Berkeley had made the usual offer of $50 to the student writing the best essay on the subject, "The Relation of Individual Total Abstinence to the Prosperity of the Nation."

The resignation of Miss Sarah S. Oddie as assistant reference librarian, to take effect November 30, was accepted.

The class of '96 gave $431 to the university and this amount will be added to as a loan fund for students. Later it will be used for promoting a productive scholarship.

On the recommendation of President Wheeler degrees were conferred as follows:

B. S. College of Chemistry.
Clara Irene Carver, Escondido.
B. S. College of Mining.
Fernando Montijo Jr., San Francisco.
Robert William Phelps, Los Angeles
Leon James Rowoshine, San Francisco.
William Brewster Sawyer Jr., Riverside.
Fred Wolfsohn, San Francisco
B. S. College of Mechanics.
Edgar Lewis Barber, Berkeley.
Davis Hanson Grubb, San Francisco.
Robert Raymond Haas, Stockton.
William Hilehau, graduate 1903, Buenos Aires Naval Academy, Buenos Aires.
Eckert Wynne Newell, Stockton.
Charles Schindler, Anaheim.
B. S. College of Agriculture.
Charles Holmes Bradley, Jersey City, N. J.
Elizabeth Dowd, Berkeley.
Clifford John Foskett, Concord.
Clarence Wall Hobbs, San Francisco.
Winnifred Electra Humphrey, Mayhew.
William Bell Parker, Santa Cruz.
B. S. College of Commerce.
Paul Scott Foster, San Rafael.
B. S. College of Natural Sciences.
George Jay Adams, architecture, Alameda.
William Clement Ambrose, architecture, Berkeley.
John Sebastian Dauser (B. L. 1904), architecture, Fullerton.
Howard Henry Digman, premedical, Santa Rosa.
William Albert Edwards, architecture, Santa Barbara.
Franklin Thompson Georgeson, architecture, Eureka.
Bessie Goodwin, botany, Santa Maria.
Sophia Hazel Levy, astronomy, Oakland.
Selby Harold Marks, premedical, Ukiah.
B. S. College of Social Sciences.
Wilhelmine Ellen Aitken, astronomy, Mount Hamilton.
Ethel Julia Akers, French, Berkeley.
Harold Harrison Ashley, economics, Oakland.
Julia Bennett, English, Placerville.
Ralph Edward Berry, German, Auburn.
Cecil Alice Boyd, English, Oakland.
Mabel Wright Edwards English, Watsonville.
Ethelyn Leone Ebner, history, Hollywood.
Emmet Ross Fertig, jurisprudence, Nobleville, Ind.
Chaffee Earl Hall, jurisprudence, Oakland.
Margaret Eleanor Harris, English, Berkeley.
Myrtle Nell Healy, history, Berkeley.
Rolle Boyl Jacobs, German, Oakland.
Amanda Caroline Jacobsen, history, San Francisco.
Joel William Kaufman, economics, San Mateo.
Lydia Theresa Mattke, German, Berkeley.
Carlo Sutro Morbio, jurisprudence, Berkeley.
Alta Patton, English, San Jose
Ida Luise Rinn, English, Lodi.
Claudia Russell Seidl, history, San Francisco.
Guy Smith, history, Azusa.
Mary Turner Stafford, history, Live Oak.
Esme Tierney Amy Thomas, German, Santa Cruz.
Marie Louise Tibetts, English, Colusa.
Margaret Wilhemina Wythe, history, Oakland.
A. B. College of Letters.
Hazel Katherine Clark, history and German, Berkeley.
Harry Evans, Latin, Monrovia
Grace Mead Mackintosh, English, Berkeley.
Franz Schneider, German and Spanish, Dessau, Germany.
Guest Wickson, French, Berkeley
M. E. College of Agriculture.
Edward Prentice Terry (B. S. 1909), agriculture, Los Angeles. Thesis—Experimental station work toward improving the quality and increasing the yield of corn, flax and wheat
M. S. College of Natural Sciences.
Charles William Batdorf (B. S. 1908), physics, St. Helena. Thesis—A study of the spheroidal state.
John Nieman Force (B. S. 1898, M. D. 1901), hygiene, Berkeley. Thesis—Pathogenic organisms in butter.
Clark Wilbur Shay (B. S. University of Rochester 1899), education, Hermon. Thesis—The evolution of the Sunday school teacher.
M. L. College of Social Sciences.
Clara Pearl Hayden (B. L. 1909), English, Berkeley. Thesis—The essay of appreciation in English literature
Sadie Ethel Levy (B. L. 1909), education, Los Angeles. Thesis—The social origin of moral standards
Marion Stanley Cummings (B. L. 1901), English, Santa Cruz. Thesis—A study of the Book of Job
Waldemar Christian Westergaard (A. B. University of North Dakota), history, Alameda Thesis—The Danish West Indies; preliminary historical sketch, with description of material in the Bancroft collection and an annotated bibliography.
M. A. College of Letters.
Paul Garthwright Chapman (A. B. Occidental College 1900), history, Los Angeles. Thesis—The diplomatic aspect of the acquisition of Florida, with special reference to the Monroe doctrine.
J. D. College of Social Sciences.
Stephen Frank Otis (B. L. 1908), Alameda. Thesis—Gambling on horse races, particularly with reference to the laws of California thereon.
Clifford Coleman Pease (A. B. University of Wisconsin, 1904), Berkeley. Thesis—The earthquake clauses in fire insurance policies.
Graduated With Honors.
Wilhelmine Ellen Aitken, astronomy.
William Bell Parker, agriculture.
Ethel Julia Akers, French.
Franz Schneider, German.
Claudia Russell Seidl, history.



FOR HIM

Suggestions for Xmas

Neckwear...25c to $1.50
Suspenders..25c to $1.50
Handkerchiefs..5c to 50c
Night Gowns.....50c up
Pajamas....$1.00 suit up
Gloves.....$1.00 up
Sweaters.....$1.00 up
Underwear.....50c up
Collars.....$1.50 doz.
Hats.....$1.50 up
Cuff Buttons, Pins; sets 50c up

Tom Ronald

1234 BROADWAY

Just below Ye Liberty Theater

OAKLAND MAN TO CLAIM BRIDE CHRISTMAS EVE



MISS N. BROWN, who is to become the bride of M. Lema Saturday next.
—Shaw & Shaw, Photo.

Miss Nellie B. Brown of Santa Rosa and M Lema of Oakland are to be married at the home of Mrs D. Dibble on Second avenue Saturday evening.

Immediately after the wedding supper the bride and groom will start on an extended tour of the eastern states.

Lema is a business man of Oakland. The couple will make their home here.

U. S. DEPENDENT ON GREAT BRITAIN

Meyer Points Out Admiralty Furnishes Ships With Sailing Directions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Nearly half the charts and more than half of the sailing directions supplied to our ships are publications of the British admiralty. Should these, in time of war, be declared contraband, it would be extremely difficult to obtain the requisite number.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer in these words urged on the house committee on naval affairs in testimony made public yesterday provisions for the purchase of complete charts.

Secretary Meyer's estimate is that dependence upon foreign nations for these charts and directions should be obviated by an appropriation of $50,000 and of not more than $40,000 each succeeding year for three years, the charts to be put out by the United States hydrographic office in that period.

EXPERT BOTANIST DIES AT SANTA CRUZ

SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 23.—In the death of Dr. C. L. Anderson yesterday the state lost one of its most eminent authorities on marine botany. He was a member and lecturer in the Chautauqua society, and his services were often sought in matters pertaining to scientific information on marine growth. Although a close student of the medical profession, Dr. Anderson always found time to give attention to all marine growths that were brought to him for identification. In this work he had a national reputation. He had been in failing health for the last few years.

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all Dealers

DR. COOK IS BACK SAYS HE SAW THE POLE

Tells It to Fellow Traveler, But Not in an Interview.

PREPARES STATEMENT FOR THE REPORTERS

Passengers on Boat Argue Over Him; Women His Sympathizers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook came back to his native land on the steamship George Washington as calmly as if there had never been a north pole controversy. He said little. A typewritten interview, handed to reporters, embraced all that he had to say, with the exception of the necessary formalities of conversation thrust on him by interviewers.

Of far more dramatic interest was a heated controversy among the steamship passengers concerning the impression he had made on them. The doctor asserted he believed he was at the pole. His statement in part follows:

NOTHING TO SAY.

"I have no statement to make other than that which I carefully prepared. Any interview I might give would necessarily be fragmentary and doubtless misleading also, so I shall not now give out any interviews and any purporting to come from me will not be authorized. I spent weeks carefully preparing my story and I have frankly said in it all that there is to say. Every charge against me is taken up and answered in its proper place in my narrative.

"I do not know my plans for the future. I have not returned to America with the intention of making money out of my Arctic experiences. Money did not prompt the writing of my story, as suggested in certain newspapers. I have come back solely for the purpose of rehabilitating myself and my family by setting matters right with my countrymen."

FIGHT OVER COOK.

The argument among the George Washington's passengers arose when the doctor's sympathizers aboard wished it understood that he was received with no shadow of discrimination by the other passengers. His enemies wished it made clear that he had been shunned. The minute the reporters, who had gone down the harbor on a revenue cutter, stepped into the saloon representatives of both sides assailed them. Persons who in ordinary circumstances dodge publicity as they would the plague button mobbed the reporters in their eagerness to present their case first.

Men elbowed one another, trampled on toes, shook their fingers in one another's faces and shouted unqualified contradictions. Women gave up pouring tea to stand on the brocaded chairs and peer over the ring of men into the vortex of discussion.

Cook was spared the embarrassment of this hubbub. He met the reporters at the ladder when they boarded the ship perfectly poised. It was the same Dr. Cook, little less tanned and worn, but with the same lock of hair hanging down over his forehead, the same reticent half-smile and the same stubby mustache.

UNOBTRUSIVE PASSENGER.

"In half an hour, gentlemen, I will have a statement for you. Just make yourselves at home in the ladies' saloon," he said, and he led the way himself. He spoke a few words here and there to a friend, shook hands and excused himself without a trace of self-consciousness.

While the disputs in the ladies' saloon boiled more temperate passengers elsewhere found time to tell without heat of the doctor's trip. He came aboard at Bremen, they said, wearing a full beard, but had it shaved off on the first day. His name did not appear on the passenger list at first, but later was placed as Herr Dr. Frederick A. Cook, on a supplemental list. He was an unostentatious passenger, playing cards evenings with a few friends. Once, when the toasts were going round before bedtime, it came his turn to name a health, he was quick to propose the Stars and Stripes.

One time a passenger who had not remarked him before asked brusquely:

"Are you Dr. Cook?"

He answered:

"My name is Cook."

"Are you the Dr. Cook who went to the north pole?" persisted the questioner.

"I have been there," asserted the doctor, gravely.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of May Nelson, deceased.

Notice of time set proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of May Nelson, deceased, and for the issuance to H. J. Nichols of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 23d day of December, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, December 12, 1910.

JOHN P. COCK, Clerk.

By W. E. Adams, Deputy Clerk.

WM. R. GEARY,

Attorney for Petitioner, 807 E. 12th st., Oakland, Cal.

INTEREST NOTICE.

Bank of Germany, Oakland, Cal.

The rate of interest on time deposits for the six months ending December 31, 1910, has been fixed at four (4) per cent per annum; said interest is payable on and after January 1, 1911. Interest not called for will be added to and bear the same rate of interest as the deposit.

R. F. CRIST, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ARTHUR L. HARRIS, Secretary.

PER 4 CENT

DIVIDEND has been declared by the CENTRAL BANK OF OAKLAND for the half year ending December 31, 1910, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Tuesday January 3, 1911.

Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest from January 1, 1911.

CENTRAL BANK OF OAKLAND,
Arthur L. Harris, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central National Bank of Oakland will be held at the office of the Association on Tuesday January 10, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

H. A. MOSHER, Cashier.

I hereby give notice that I intend to apply to the State Board of Prison Directors to be paroled from San Quentin according to law.

WILLIAM MULLANE.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all Dealers.

MRS. HARRIMAN MAY MARRY AGAIN

Widow of Railway Financier Subject of Rumor in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Following the publication of a rumor that he was paying court to Mrs. Mary Harriman, the widow of E. H. Harriman, E. R. Bacon, a prominent clubman and formerly a member of the law firm of Field, Dorscheimer & De Yo, was suddenly "transported" to Europe today.

The reporter who called at his home to inquire about the report was told that the Colonel was taking his bath. Ten minutes later the Colonel was reported as eating his breakfast. When the reporter returned five minutes later, he was told that if he would call up on the telephone Colonel Bacon would talk to him. The reporter called up and was positively assured that the Colonel was in Europe.

At Mrs. Harriman's home it was said she could not be seen. A butler, however, gave the assurance that there was no truth to the report. "I know about everything that goes on here," he declared, "and if Mrs. Harriman intended marrying I guess I would know about it." At the office of the Harriman estate it was said that nothing was known there of the report.

Colonel Bacon is a bachelor, about 60 years of age, and has long been a distinguished figure in the world of affairs.

150 Patrolmen to Keep Order for Tetrazzini

Vehicles and Probably Cars Will Be Stopped and the Crowd Kept Moving.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23 — Chief of Police Seymour this morning ordered Captains Shea and O'Day to detail 150 patrolmen in the district where the crowd convenes to hear Tetrazzini tomorrow night.

No vehicles will be allowed within a block of the exhibition stand and, if necessary, cars will be stopped. Pedestrians will be kept moving until the singer begins. As many people as can crowd in orderly lines will be allowed to approach.

PAYS $1104 FINE FOR NEGLECTING TO DECLARE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The failure of Mrs. Walker C. Graves, society woman and wife of the democratic politician, to declare jewelry valued at $368 when she arrived at this port from the Orient on the steamer China last September, has cost her $1511, in addition to the amount originally paid for the valuables. Mrs. Graves was ordered to pay a fine of $1104 by Collector of the Port Stratton for neglecting to declare the jewelry, and yesterday her husband was compelled to pay $407 more in order to bid in the confiscated articles at the auction sale conducted by the government appraiser.

TEACHERS TO HEAR MANY ADDRESSES

Program for Association Meeting at University Is Announced.

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—The complete program of the California Teachers' Association, to be held on the university campus beginning Tuesday, December 27, and closing Friday, December 30, has just been issued and shows an elaborate schedule of sectional meetings and county teachers' institute gatherings, as well as general sessions. Prominent educators will speak upon timely topics. The program has been published under the supervision of Alfred Roncovieri, president of the association, and LeRoy Armstrong, of Oakland, secretary. Among the speakers will be prominent teachers of the East bay section.

The general sessions are announced to take place in the Hearst Greek theater if weather permits; otherwise in Harmon gymnasium, on the university campus. Section meetings will be held simultaneously in various university buildings.

Many social features for the benefit of the 2000 delegates have been arranged. The Berkeley Teachers' Association is to keep open house.

FEDERAL QUARANTINE WILL BE MORE SEVERE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A radical enlargement of the scope of the nursery stock bill by the House committee on agriculture is probable. The committee has already ordered a favorable report on the bill, which authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to quarantine against any country or any part of a country where dangerous diseases of nursery stock exist.

Special Agent Grubb of the Department of Agriculture has just returned from Germany with news of a dangerous potato disease there and with word that the German fir trees are ravaged by a dangerous root disease.

The committee probably will amend the bill so as to include all kinds of trees, shrubs and vegetables.

AUTHORITIES SEIZE 175 BARRELS OF OYSTERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23 — Deputy United States Marshal Towle this morning seized 175 barrels of oysters shipped by J. and J. L. Ellsworth, Hoboken, N. Y., to the Morgan Oyster company of this city, on the report that they had been taken from polluted water. The marshal has been on the lookout for the shipment for some time, and immediately after the seizure the Morgan oyster people appeared in court, and, putting up $5000 bonds, obtained the release of the carload. A suit in the court will probably follow today's action.

UNKNOWN KILLS SELF.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 23.—An unknown man, about 40 years old, jumped in front of a train at Mayfield yesterday afternoon and was killed.

CITY REDEEMING AN ISSUE OF BONDS

Bank Will Buy Securities and in Few Days Receive Money Back.

The formality of advertising a block of bonds amounting to $49,325 for sale by the City of Oakland was gone through with at a special meeting of the City Council last night, called for the purpose. By a courtesy arrangement with one of the local banks, the bonds will be accepted December 29, and the city will buy them back again January 1, when they mature.

When the municipal bond issue of $3,733,000 was ratified, this amount was divided into series numbered from 1 to 40, of which Series No. 1 matures January 1, 1911. By the bond interest and redemption fund, the money to pay for the first of the series to mature is now in the city treasury, amounting to $98,325, or one-fortieth of the total.

The first block of bonds, amounting to $1,769,000, was disposed of last June. This was made up from the various series of bonds maturing at various dates, $44,000 being in the first series, which matures January 1, 1911. This left $49,325 of the first series undisposed of, and it is for the sale of these that the council authorized the advertisement last night.

The block of bonds of Series No. 1, as it matures right away, and will therefore not bear interest, is of no value to a purchaser, and it will be by a courtesy arrangement with one of the local banks that it will be disposed of. The bank will pay over the money to the city for the bonds, and will receive it back again three days later on the redemption of the bonds.

The money set aside for the redemption will thus become legally available for use by the city in improving the waterfront.

CUDAHY IN LOS ANGELES; MRS. JACK EN ROUTE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Jack Cudahy is in Los Angeles today and Mrs. Cudahy, who formerly was Mrs. Jack, will arrive tomorrow evening. Each was drawn to Southern California for the Christmas season by Misses Edna, Ann and Marie Cudahy, their children, who are at the Ramona convent in Los Angeles.

The little Cudahy girls, none of whom is yet 10 years old, already have seen their father and have been told that their mother is coming. Cudahy, according to rumor, did not know that his former wife planned to visit the little ones on Christmas day, although she is said to have been planning the trip for a month.

$50,000 CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR TRUST HEAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. — The Central Trust Company will give its president, James N. Wallace, a check for $50,000 as his Christmas present. The money was voted by the directors in addition to his regular salary, "as a slight recognition for his services in building up the institution."

Wallace, recently elected to the presidency, began with the company in boyhood as a minor clerk.

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"It is interesting; it is exciting; it stirs the blood. The description of the rabbit drive is realistic and true, the statements concerning the destruction of the young are equally realistic and true. The book is bound to do good. I trust it will have the widest possible circulation. I want my boys to read it. I want my girls to read it. I want my wife to read it. It is so good that I want my mother-in-law to read it. I want everybody to read it. Every preacher ought to read it and commend it to his congregation."

It is a literary masterpiece written in a style so racy and fascinating that, having read the first sentence, one cannot willingly lay it aside until the last line has been read.

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SOCIETY

THE HOME CLUB dinner which came off last night was a great success, many unique innovations being introduced.

After the old fashioned New England dinner, at a given signal, the lights in the hall were turned off and hundreds of magnesium sparklers came into view, making a pretty electrical display.

The Hawaiian orchestra played during the evening and one of the distinctest effects was obtained by "The Bombardment of the Serpentine," which proved to be a network of colored ribbons which fell in showers over the guests and caused much merriment, the hundreds of light colored paper streamers falling on the exquisite gowns of the guests making a charming picture.

Howard Pratt, tenor of the First Congregational church, sang during the evening and a dance enjoyed by the 250 guests closed one of the most enjoyed affairs of the year.

Mrs. H. C. Capwell, president of the Home club, was a delightful toastmistress, and Judge Everet Brown responded to a toast "Christmas."

Representative Oaklanders, including many fashionable folk, entertained guests at individual tables, among the hosts being:

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith — Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barnhart
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott — Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Jackson
Mr. and Mrs. George Newton — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butters

RETURNS FROM EUROPE.

Mrs. M. J. Humthrey has arrived in Oakland from a four-months' tour of Europe. She visited England, Germany, France, Ireland and Belgium, spending some time in both Paris and London, which she visited in company with friends from Chicago.

Mrs. Humthrey travels extensively and spent the larger part of last year in Australia. She will spend the next six months in Oakland, where her host of friends will entertain her.

HOME FROM ABROAD.

Mrs. Lillian A. Kahn and daughters, Misses Sara and Alma, who have been abroad the last six months, have taken apartments at the Grnad for the winter. They will be at home to their friends Sunday, December 25.

LARGE FAMILY PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woolsey will have one of the largest family parties when they will entertain thirty guests on Christmas day. Among the dinner guests will be.

Mr. and Mrs. Woolsey — W. Slack
Dr. and Mrs. Roy Woolsey — Miss Edith Slack
Miss Slack
Audubon Woolsey — Miss Eva Reeves
Judge and Mrs. Chas. — Miss Zelma Reeves

FRIDAY EVENING ASSEMBLY.

The Friday Evening Assembly will give its initial dance on December 30 at Ebell hall and will be one of the functions of the year. About 150 of the local smart set will enjoy the affair. Many dinners will precede the dance. One of the dinner hostesses who will entertain twenty-four guests is Miss Georgie Creed, debutante daughter of Mrs. William H. Creed.

The patronesses for the assembly are Mrs. Martin William Kales, Mrs. William Creed and Mrs. C. C. Clay.

DINNERS.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Olney, Jr., will enjoy a family dinner followed by a Christmas tree on Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hogan will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Monahan over the holidays.

SMART DANCE.

The Hillside club will be the scene of a smart dance on January 21 when the dancing club, organized this season by half a hundred or so of the fashionable folk of Berkeley, will assemble. Mrs. C. M. Perkins will be hostess.

WILLARD WILLIAMSON'S ENTERTAIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson will entertain a congenial group of friends on Saturday evening, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall Webster, Miss Lorna Williamson, Mrs. Louis Ghirardelli, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall Webster will have the same party for their guests on Christmas day.

NEVILLES TO ENTERTAIN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pym Neville will be hosts on Christmas day. Mrs. Neville is planning a series of card parties the latter part of next month.

ANOTHER FAMILY PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Waker Reed are to have a Christmas celebration shared by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed and the E. L. Reed family.

OVER THE HOLIDAYS.

Miss Bessie Grant has returned from a three-month's visit in Oregon, where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Edward Hall Dodge, of Portland, will be a guest over the holidays of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Laymance.

TO SPEND HOLIDAYS.

Mrs. J. B. Cauzza and family of Bakersfield, will spend the holiday season with her mother, Mrs. Olcese in Oakland.

NEW CENTURY CLUB.

The members of the Oakland New Century club met today at their rooms in West Oakland, when an unusually good program was presented.

AT DEL MONTE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vander Naillen whose wedding was a recent event, are spending their honeymoon at Hotel Del Monte.

DINNER HOSTS TONIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chickering of this city will be dinner hosts tonight at the Fairmont, preceding the Christmas assembly, for which a thousand invitations have been sent out by Mr. Greenway.

Mr. Silas Palmer will entertain tonight in honor of Miss Harriet Stone.

TEA AND BRIDGE.

A dozen girls of the local set will be entertained on Tuesday, December 27, at a tea and informal game of bridge. They are:

Mrs. Roy Miller — Miss Elizabeth Stott
Mrs. Lulu Beaulsen — Miss Hazel Lawton
Miss Margaret Witter — Miss Ellen Bowling
Miss Katherine Beaulsen — Miss Ruth Hamlin

RETURN FROM HAWAII.

Mrs. Henkenius and her daughter, Mrs. Forderick Stewart, who have been in the Hawaiian Islands for the last three months visiting Mrs. C. S. Allen have returned home.

HOSTESS ON CHRISTMAS.

Mrs. George W. Scott will be hostess at a family dinner on Christmas day. Among her guests being

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Caulfield — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Scott
Leland Scott — Baxter
Mr. and Mrs. Mc — Mr. and Mrs. Scott

VISITING MRS. WILLIAM LITTLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Little arrived last night from Plamas county and will visit Mr. Little's mother, Mrs. William C. Little, at the family home on Broadway and Littlebank. They will probably spend the entire winter in Oakland.

Miss Caroline Little, the well known singer, also arrived last night from a flying trip to St. Helena, where she and Miss Francis Beams, of Berkeley, spent the past week.

INFORMAL TEA.

Miss Wila Sale will entertain at an informal tea at her residence in Alameda the afternoon of Thursday, December 29.

COMPLIMENT MISS STONE.

Miss Harriet Stone will be the complimented guest at a dinner given by Mrs. Silas Palmer tonight across the bay. Later the party will attend the ball at the Fairmont.

STANFORD STUDENTS HERE.

Miss Helen Fowle, a Denver girl who has been attending Stanford, will visit Miss Roberta Hasleh during the coming week. Other Stanford students who will visit over Christmas are.

Miss Ehrenberg — Edwin Higgins
Miss Helen White — Alfred Sunbell
Miss Jessie Hall — Monte Haslet
Miss Marjorie Emmons — Homer Spence
Vernon Clark — Leland Scott
Paul Clark — Tudor Tiedeman
Carl Shattuck



MISS HAZEL SHAY, who will come up from Saratoga to visit in Oakland over New Year's. —Scharz, Photo.

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Danger in Neglect OF GIRLS IS WARNING

CHICAGO.—Mrs. Charles Henrotin, in an address on "The Care of Delinquent and Dependent Girls," before the League of Cook County Clubs, declared that unless the women of the city awake to the necessity of caring for unfortunate girls, there will soon come a generation of women which will be a menace to the democracy and the civilization of the world.

"There is a tendency," she said, "in a large city like this to a growing recklessness, which eventually leads to the delinquency and dependency of large numbers of girls. The classes of shop workers and factory workers are subjected to temptations which at first they strive to put aside, but many of them fail.

"As a girl grows older and starts to work for her living she throws off the rule of her parents at her most susceptible time of life and reaches the turning of the ways. She then is left to work out her own moral and social problems and usually looks at them in the wrong light.

"Most girls are obliged to seek their recreation by attending motion picture shows, which are not of the best, with all the censorship they receive. Many girls have been led downward starting from one of these shows. It is a wonder that with all the temptations of the large city more girls have not gone wrong, and in that we must have hope for the ultimate saving of all."

She Was Elephant's Friend

NEW YORK.—With the death of Mrs. Lucretia Hawes, 25 years old, for ten years an inmate of the Peabody Home for Aged Women at 2061 Boston road, the Bronx, Gunda, the big, morose Indian elephant in the Bronx zoo lost one of the two persons he cared for. When Indian elephant in the Bronx zoo lost one ago Mrs. Hawes was one of the first visitor he had, and ever since then she had been visiting him regularly, once a week in the winter and twice in the summer, bringing him things to eat.

When the big Indian's temper became so bad in the eyes of the visitors made him so nervous that it was found necessary to surround his cage with wire mesh, his keeper, Walter Pheuman and Mrs. Hawes were the only persons who could approach Gunda. Regularly each Monday Mrs. Hawes went to his cage and was admitted through the door. If Gunda was out in his dooryard Mrs. Hawes had only to cry "Oh you," and the huge fellow would come lumbering through the door between his cage and his yard to greet her. She would feed him and sometimes he would wrap his trunk around her waist and lift her off the ground. The zoo employes took many photographs of the pair in various poses.

Mrs. Hawes was born in Kansas City and came to New York forty years ago. She and her husband settled on a large farm in West Farms, where her husband also operated a planing mill. They had no children and when her husband died Mrs. Hawes went to the Peabody Home.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

FIND MOTHER AND DAUGHTER NEAR DEATH IN HOUSE

Suicide Pact, With Starvation as Means, Uncovered by Police.

CHICO, Dec. 23.—What is believed to have been a suicide pact was uncovered by the police yesterday when they broke into the home of Mrs. Bettie E. Whiteline and daughter Mrs. Lavina Corey at 740 Orient street, and found both women lying on the floor in an unconscious condition. It is believed the mother will die and that the daughter will recover.

The bodies of the women were emaciated, their lips puffed and swollen and their eyes staring wildly at the ceiling. In the grewsome find of the officers, who broke into the house at the request of anxious neighbors, the explanation of the mournful moans that have been issuing from the darkened little cottage for the past three days was learned. While the wasted condition of the women's bodies and the riveted gaze of their eyes told the story of starvation, the unmistakable evidence that they had agreed to let time kill them was found in the well-stocked condition of the pantry. The discolored condition of the lips gave the impression that poison had been taken, but no trace of a deadly drug could be found in the house.

LIVED ALONE.

The two women have lived in the house alone for the last two years. Admittance was denied to every one. Mrs. Whiteline's husband, William Whiteline, lives at 817 Broadway, Oakland, or has his place of business there. The daughter was divorced from her husband four years ago. The mother has been twice married.

Mrs. Whiteline told the neighbors her daughter was an invalid. She refused to let any one enter the house, and had posted on the door this note. "My dear friends, I am not at home today." The curtains were always kept pulled down and the windows and doors were kept locked. The daughter never left the house, and the mother very rarely stepped out doors.

Nat Denies Quarrel

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—An evening paper printed last night a story to the effect that papers in a separation suit had been filed on Nat Goodwin by Edna Goodrich Goodwin.

When Goodwin was asked last night about the separation he said, "Nothing to it."

"Were not the papers served on you today at the club?" he was asked.

"No. Mrs. Goodwin is away visiting friends for a few days."

"Is Mrs. Goodwin coming back?"

"Of course."

"Will you live together?"

"Why, yes."

There is nothing to the story about a separation suit, according to this interview.

Son May Reunite

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Though Mrs. Sterling Postley obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce from the French courts only a few weeks ago, her friends and those of her husband, Clarence S. Postley, already are talking of the probabilities of reconciliation. If it does come, it is said it will be largely on account of the son, Clarence Jr., to whom both parents are devoted.

Mrs. Postley, with her son, her mother, Mrs. H. N. Cook; her brother, Clifford Grant Cook, and a maid, left last night for California. Mrs. Postley will remain in San Francisco a short time and then probably will go to San Mateo. This plan was formulated by Mr. Postley.

Although Mr. Postley met his wife at the pier when she returned from Europe a few days ago, he was not at the station when she left tonight.

Mr. Postley lunched yesterday with his brother-in-law, Mr. Cook, and spent the afternoon with his mother-in-law at her apartments in the Belmont.

Girls in Demand

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23.—Girl babies are worth more than boy babies so far as supply and demand governs their value, according to R. V. Malone of the Children's Home-Finding Society which has in hand 23 boys and 6 girls. Eight of every 10 applications are for girls. More boys are returned than girls.

Gets Message From Dead

Countess Sees Son in a Dream; Hears Him Speak.

NEW YORK.—Countess Caroline Von Schinor Schwandorf-Heiklet, the Austrian noblewoman who has done much in recent years to aid the poor, declares she has had a dream that has put her in touch with the dead, and she hopes, with her missing son.

In April, 1907, the Countess became interested in Bernard Carlin, a youth of twenty-one, who had killed his mother and was sentenced to die in the electric chair. The Countess did all she could to obtain a reprieve and pleaded with Governor Hughes, urging that "the boy had never had a chance." All her efforts were in vain and he was executed. Previous to Carlin's death she made frequent visits to Sing Sing, taking him delicacies and giving him all the comfort in her power.

"I went to see him just before his death," the Countess told a reporter, "and he told me that he was going to see God and ask Him to let him communicate with me whenever I needed him, as it was what he wanted to do in return for past favors. Sunday night I was lying on a couch at my home, No. 226 Division avenue, Brooklyn. It was about 6 o'clock.

WAS THINKING OF SON.

"I was thinking of my son, Maxmillan, who was stolen from me three times and disappeared for the fourth time in August, 1907. I haven't heard of him, but I have reason to believe that certain Brooklyn people who wish my ruin have spirited him away. Two weeks after he disappeared, I found his cap and a bloody handkerchief in the cellar of our home, but I don't know whether he was killed or not.

"As I dozed, I suddenly heard a voice. It was Charlie's. I heard him but did not see him. He said 'Look at this picture. There is your son Max.' I saw before me a life sized picture of a number of chorus men and girls against the wall and in the center, my son. I recognized him immediately. And like a flash the picture was gone and I was awake.

"I realized that the picture I saw was an enlargement of a photograph of some kind and I set my wits to work. Since Max disappeared I have bought hundreds of papers in the hope that in one of them I would see his picture. I started to rummage through them and in the Sunday magazine section of The World of August 21 last, I saw the picture of my dream.

"My son is dressed in a white sailor suit, and is carrying a pretty girl on his back. He is the sixth man from the left. I didn't sleep at all that night. I haven't a doubt but what Max is working in some chorus. The picture was published with an article headed 'The Mild Adventures of the Chorus Man.'"

She Patrols a 'Beat'



MISS FANNY BIXBY, Long Beach's female "policeman."

LOS ANGELES.—For two years Miss Fanny Bixby has served as a "policeman" at Long Beach and she declared recently that she liked the job so well she would fight hard to retain it when somebody else besides friends had the official power of police appointment. Miss Bixby is a graduate of Wellesley College, where she studied social economics. Besides being a special policeman for Long Beach, she is a probation officer and a member of the Juvenile Court Commission. She believes women should vote and is a member of the College Women's Equal Suffrage Association. As the daughter of a rich man—her father, Jotham Bixby, is part owner of the Virginia Hotel and a large land owner—Miss Bixby might live a life of idle pleasure if she wished.

Here Is a Woman Who Cobbles for Living

NEW YORK.—In a downtown building there is a shoe shop far different from many other cobblers' places, in that it is light airy and free from musty odors. Its chief title to fame, however, is the fact that it is run by a woman, a typical New Englander, tall, spare, with lines of granite about the jaw and little wrinkles of humor about the eyes. She has made a brave fight of it to maintain her business in competiton with men who have been all too ready to put prices and her out of trade, and today she told the story of her struggle.

"Well, I've been here ten years alone now," she said, "and I'm alive yet. You see, they told me I would not be alive very long if I took up this business and tried to run it, but I did not look at it just that way, and here I am. I worked with my husband first while he was sick for a couple of years and I ran the shop while he was away winters. He never thought I could make it go, and he was surprised, I tell you, to see how well I had done.

"The thing started when he was taken sick. He had been in this business over in Nassau street for twelve years before we came to Fulton, and then he began to have throat trouble. At least, that was what I tried to think it was, I couldn't believe it was consumption. However, when he came back from Florida, where he'd gone the first winter, and then had to go up to Saratoga and Liberty in the summer, and then the same thing over and over again the next year, why, I knew that I was going to lose him. Of course, an illness like that costs a lot of money what with specialists and one thing and another, and by the time he died there wasn't much of a balance left.

"I made my mind I'd have to work and that I might as well keep up the business. I said to myself that I'd try it for a year, even if I did not make a cent. I told the young man who was our foreman that he had better stay with me, and he agreed to. Well, would you believe it, only a few days after I started in for myself three of my big customers left me because rivals, men, would do the work a few cents cheaper. Wasn't that a way to treat a woman who had just buried a husband? I tell you some men would just like to put a woman under their feet and walk on her. But they can't do that with me!"

"Well," she went on, "things looked pretty bright after that first year. I knew something about a shoe, you see, for when I was married I was earning $18 a week in a shoe factory in Lynn. But this business was such a complicated one it nearly drove me crazy at first—so many prices and fussy little jobs you know. But, then, as I had said to my husband 'If I go crazy they can put me in a sanitarium.' However, I didn't, and every year things looked brighter. Now I've got a good trade, and lots of old customers, and some day I guess I'll have as nice a business as you'd want to see. I keep eight men and a foreman, myself and a boy in this shop and that's pretty good for a woman, now, isn't it?"

Rodman Popped on Runners

NEW YORK.—When speeding down a snow-clad hill in Mount Vernon on a sled with Miss Jean Whiting of No. 61 Halcyon Terrace, Halcyon Park, Rodman V. Pitman of No. 308 State street, Brooklyn, asked, through the opening of his ulster collar, if she would marry him. She said "yes" just as the sled hit the bottom of the hill.

They lifted the sled, now a very light load, carried it back to Miss Whiting's home, confided their secret to William W. Swan, her brother-in-law, got into his auto and at midnight brought the Mount Vernon City Clerk downstairs in his pajamas to give them a license. Then they hurried around to the Rev. Charles F. Canedy, pastor of Trinity Church, and he married them.

Pitman is a traveling salesman. He had just returned from a trip when he proposed. Miss Whiting was living with her sister, Mrs. Swan, and Pitman had been paying her a great deal of attention. She is known well in the social life of New Rochelle and Larchmont, but it was not known that anything deeper than "an understanding" existed between the couple.

The Pitmans will leave the Swan home in a few days on their honeymoon.

Pitman's father, who returned yesterday from a trip to Jacksonville, Fla., told a reporter he expected his son would marry in January and the news from Mount Vernon was a great surprise to him.

Asks $50,000 Heart Balm

NEWBURG, N. Y.—Nason J. Fowler, a practising lawyer of this city, and one of the wealthiest attorneys in the county, has been named as the defendant in an action instituted by Miss Lillian Horn, of Newark, N. J., to recover $50,000 damages for breach of promise to marry.

The case will be tried before Justice Mills and a jury in the supreme court in this city on December 20. Miss Horn is now a teacher in the Livingston street public school of Newark, N. J. She formerly resided in Peekskill, N. Y., and while a resident of that place, it is said, she became friendly with Fowler. Miss Horn, it is stated, made arrangements for her wedding and prepared her trousseau when the matrimonial plans were suddenly abandoned.

Recently Fowler was married to a wealthy young woman at Kingston, N. Y. Soon after the wedding Miss Horn began the action against Mr. Fowler.

1600 Girls in Slickers At Wellesley College

NEW YORK.—To the world at large slicker may mean an oilskin coat; not so to the Smith college girl. That is why there was confusion in a wholesale rubber place on Broadway when a Smith College girl walked in and asked to see some slickers.

The clerg suggested a trip to a distant wharf where oilskins were for sale. He meant well but the Smith College girl was not to be so slightly dismissed.

"Oh, no," she said. "Show me long black rubber coats and shiny helmets just like those firemen wear."

"For your little brother?" asked the clerk.

"For myself," said the girl.

The clerk was elderly and assumed a fatherly attitude.

"My dear young lady," he said, "we have none that would fit you. There are no such garments made for girls or women's wear."

The Smith College girl was small, but determined.

"I come from a place," she said impressively, "where there are 1600 girls, and every one of those 1600 wears a fireman's rubber coat and helmet when it rains. Show me the coats, please."

The clerk, incredulous, obeyed.

The girl tried on several coats and finally chose one which must have been intended for a very small and rather stout fireman, as it came just to the toes of the girl who was five feet four inches. She slid her hands into the two large pockets on either side and breathed a sigh of satisfaction.

"Send it please," she said, and gave an address on Morningside Heights.

If the fatherly clerk should pass Smith College on a rainy day he would cease to believe that the girl was insane. He would rather agree with others in believing that the Smith College girl has satisfactorily solved the problem of keeping dry in a pouring rain.

No more fruitless searches for the umbrella, no more bedraggled hats and sloppy skirts at Smith. Girls in long black rubber coats and shiny helmet pour out of the campus houses and stream to the chapel. No fond mother could identify her own daughter in the host of rubber clad figures splashing through the rain, the faces hidden beneath low visors, which come down almost to the shoulders.

HER CURVES WERE NOT FOR PUBLIC

NEW YORK.—Wallace Munro sold chances on corsets in the Friars' booth at the Professional Woman's League bazaar at the Waldorf-Astoria. The business was new to him, and when a woman of opulent curves passed by he thought he saw a great opportunity.

"Madam," he cried. "One moment, please." She turned and saw a man dashing through the throng, brandishing a very long and—Munro's eye for proportion is excellent—a prodigiously wide shriek.

"Just take a chance on this corset!" bellowed Munro. "The very thing, you know."

"Go away from me!" cried the stout woman, in intense wrath.

"But just a chance," implored Munro. "There's always an opportunity for any one. Now, come back and let me show you"—

But the woman rushed away with a affair with an armament of dangling buckles.

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SAN FRANCISCO MAN'S BODY DISCOVERED IN HALLWAY

MANY CHURCHES TO OBSERVE YULETIDE WITH CELEBRATIONS

Charity Organizations and Clubs Arrange to Bring Cheer to Poor Families

Many interesting entertainments have been planned for Christmas day, when carols will be sung by church choirs and the children of the Sunday schools will be hostesses at affairs given to commemorate the holiday. The festivities Sunday will be confined to the churches and will be continued throughout the week in the social and fraternal organizations.

The spirit of the festival, "Peace on earth and good will toward all men," will be the keynote of the day. Liberal gifts of food and money will be given to the poor and in the hospitals throughout the city the Christmas cheer will invade the atmosphere.

Tomorrow evening the members of branch No 1 of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will distribute Christmas baskets to the families in their charge and each basket will also contain money.

BASKETS TO HOSPITAL.

The committee representing the society will also deliver baskets to the inmates in the County Hospital, who are the wards of the organization. Those in charge of the work this year are: Mrs. Thomas F. Hogan (chairman), Mrs. J. T. Kelly, Mrs. Fred Lilienthal, Miss Katherine Maher, Mrs. Jennie Jordon, Miss Emily Finn, Mrs. George Van Halteren, Mrs. J. C. McAvoy, Miss Anna Porter, Mrs. J. J. Martin, Miss Bird and Mrs. Charles Fleweger.

The members of the Providence Hospital Auxiliary have arranged for a Christmas tree, which will contain gifts for the patients of St. Joseph's ward and the children of the hospital. The presents will be distributed Saturday evening when the tree will be lighted. Among the tokens will be shawls, slippers, kimonos and useful articles. In addition to this there will be a box of candy for each recipient. Mrs. Wickham Havens has contributed many gifts and with other philanthropic women she has displayed much interest in the tree.

Many merchants have also donated gifts. Mrs. Louis F. Agnew has had charge of the arrangements for the tree. She has been assisted by Mrs. Andrew Calderwood and Mrs. R. F. Paulin.

Oakland lodge of Elks will distribute about 800 dinners to the poor tomorrow. The individual members of the lodge will convey the baskets either in automobiles or wagons.

A Christmas dinner and entertainment will be given by the members of the Young Women's Christian Association Sunday evening in the Administration building, Fourteenth and Castro streets, to lonely young women. In the evening they will be guests at a special dinner to be held in the board-home, Nineteenth and Franklin streets.

The board of directors and the members of the Ladies' Relief Society will entertain the children and aged people of the home on Forty-fifth street, at a Christmas tree to be held tomorrow evening, when Judge Everett J. Brown will act as Santa Claus. He will distribute the gifts to the boys and girls. It will be a public affair and the officers of the society have announced that all who visit on that day will receive a token.

TO PRESENT CANTATA.

"Santa Claus, Jr.," a cantata, will be presented by the children of the Sunday school of the First Congregational Church this evening in the Sunday school rooms of the church, Twelfth and Clay streets, where the youngsters will entertain their parents and friends. The entertainment is under the direction of Howard E. Pratt and Miss Florence Long. Miss Mildred Porter will be the accompanist. The music of the cantata was written by Edward Marzo, while the book was compiled by Margaret E. Lacy.

During the evening Christmas carols will be sung by the boys and girls, who have been carefully trained. The rooms will be profusely decorated with greens and holly-berries.

The cast of characters for the cantata will be as follows: Santa Claus, Jas. E. Morehouse; school teacher, Howard E. Pratt, Santa Claus Jr., Willis Wirt; Bailey Brothers, James Rinehart and Norman Leet; Samuel Slick, Robert Horton; Elizabeth Loots, Elva Monck, Little Willie, Frank Gilbert; Michael Hadley, Thomas Prescott; maids, Fay Monck, Marion Finger, Bertha de la Guna and Frankie Elite.

The Centennial Presbyterian Church Sunday school classes have made elaborate plans for their annual Christmas

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INSANE MAN IN BATTLE; FOUR ARE HURT

Patient Armed With Knife and Slashes Nurses Within Reach.

He Was Strapped to Cot But Got Blade and Cut His Bonds.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23.—Serious injuries to two nurses and two patients and minor hurts to several other inmates of the city hospital resulted today from a life and death fight with an insane man weighing 215 pounds and armed with a knife.

Following is a toll of the seriously injured:

T. N. SMITH, night nurse, tendons and arteries of wrist severed.

E. F. MITCHELL, day nurse, artery in right thigh cut, five other stab wounds in side and on hands.

WILL HOWE, patient, stabbed in left side below heart; may die.

FERDINAND HOFFMAN, patient, cuts and bruises over the head, received while being subdued.

Hoffman became violent yesterday and was strapped to a cot. He obtained a knife in some manner and cut his bonds, hurling himself upon Smith. Mitchell and Howe were cut when they went to Smith's aid. Hoffman keeping up the struggle until William F. Kuhlman, nurse in an adjoining ward, struck him on the head with a heavy cane.

FRED KAHN SAYS THAT HE WAS MISUNDERSTOOD

Mr. Fred Kahn represents that he must have been misunderstood in the interview where he is credited with saying: "The director of the Chamber of Commerce who as succeeded in buffaloing every nominating committee and seldom attends the meetings of the board, but is always ready to criticise what is done after." Mr. Kahn disclaims the reference to criticism, and assures THE TRIBUNE that the director in question is an enthusiastic booster and never criticises any one.

CONJUGAL OSCULATION IS NOT BARRED ON STREETS OF OAKLAND

BUT BE SURE SHE IS YOUR OWN WIFE

Billing and Cooing of Married Couples Should Be Given Encouragement.

San Francisco May Frown Down Kissing, But Here---Oh No!

It was decided in San Francisco yesterday that it is a breach of the peace to kiss one's wife on the street and rendered him liable to arrest. That was the decision arrived at by the board of police commissioners in regard to the case of Fred W. Petersen and Ralph Faneuf of Oakland, who were arrested for kissing their wives while at the corner of Geary and Market streets on October 23.

They brought charges against the policemen who arrested them, and the police commissioners, in a lengthy resolution, described the incident as a regrettable occurrence, but said that the policemen were doing their duty only and that a man was guilty of a breach of the peace when he kissed his wife on a public thoroughfare. To discover the attitude of the officials of Oakland in such a case, for the information of the domestic turtle-doves who would bill and coo regardless of location, some of the prominent officers of the city government were interviewed this morning by a TRIBUNE representative.

NOT BARRED IN OAKLAND.

A man may be allowed to kiss his wife while on the streets of Oakland, no matter what they do across the bay. That is the concensus of opinion among police judges and city officials of Oakland. Perhaps it is an excess of amiability due to the infiltration of that joyful holiday spirit which now pervades the tree-and-bunting decorated streets and glittering shops, or perhaps it is only the soothing effect of a consciousness that those puzzling and thought-absorbing Christmas presents are all at home and safely stowed away in the bottom bureau drawer, or perhaps the dim idea that that long-wished-for meerschaum or smoking-jacket had been brought home and secreted in the bed of the parlor davenport by wife, that produced such a kindly feeling toward the partner of one's bosom, but certain it is that they all were found in their opinion that a man should be allowed to kiss his wife whenever and wherever he pleased. It can't be declared a misdemeanor in Oakland.

In fact, it seems to be looked upon as a symptom of a desirable state of mind that should be encouraged. Too many men, say those who watch a steady procession of wife-beaters and family-deserters file into the dock and out again every day, never kiss their wives at all.

A BLESSED PRIVILEGE.

Any one showing symptoms that way should be allowed the privilege of kissing his wife anywhere he sees fit, as an offset to those who don't show those indications of affection at any place or time. Such ebullitions of emotion may render one liable to arrest for disturbing the peace in the city across the bay, as some Oakland people know to their sorrow, but they are no ground for such an occurrence here.

The prosecuting attorney, whom one would think from his very title likely to repress sternly any manifestation of the gentler emotions, was loud in his protestations this morning that he would never put a sudden and unkind stop to any demonstration of that sort. "I'm for it, every time," said he, emphatically. "I believe a man has a right to kiss his wife anywhere. Why shouldn't he? It's no crime to have a wife, and shouldn't be any crime to kiss her. There are too many men who don't kiss their wives often enough, and I don't think any leanings that way should be discouraged.

SOMEBODY ELSE'S WIFE.

"As for somebody else's wife, that's another thing, oh, yes, quite another affair. But I wouldn't require the lady to carry a marriage certificate ready to produce at any time her spouse happened to give her a kiss on the street."

Very much the same was the opinion of Judge George Samuels of the police court. "I think it is entirely legal and should be allowed anywhere. A man surely has a right to kiss his wife anywhere and at any time he wants to. I know I wouldn't want to be deprived of the pleasure of kissing my wife anywhere I saw fit. If I saw a man on the street kissing his wife I wouldn't stop him. If it was another man's wife it might be different, but I wouldn't require the marriage certificate to be produced as evidence at the time."

Chief of Police Wilson didn't want to say anything. It would depend on circumstances entirely he said. He couldn't say what circumstances would be sufficient to make it a breach of the peace, or perhaps he wouldn't say, but it must be recorded that caution sealed his lips and the Chief would not express a decision one way or another.

SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED.

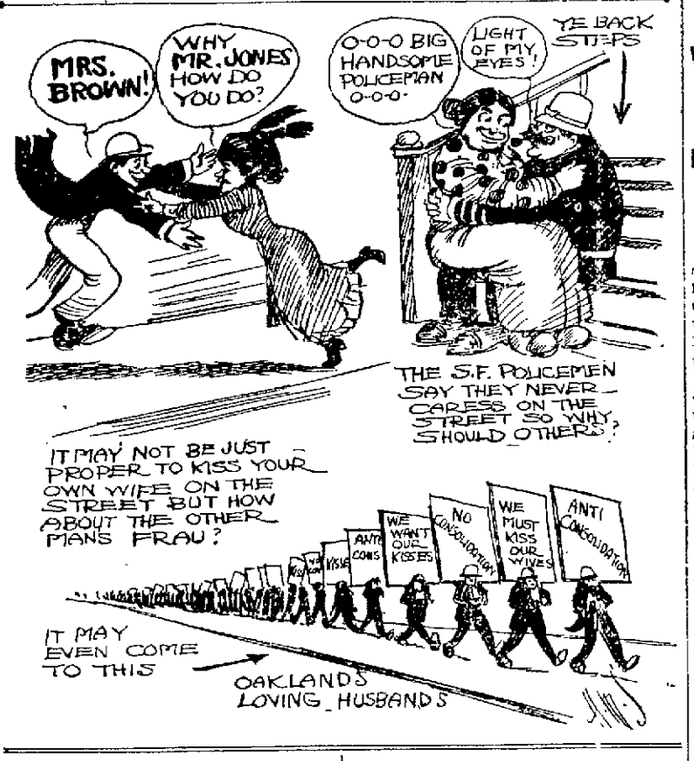
The captain of detectives, Walter J. Peterson, was positive that kissing one's wife on the street was not a punishable offense. "I think there is no legal ground for refusing to let a man kiss his wife on the street. There can't be. A man ought to be able to kiss a wife or an old friend or a relative anywhere he meets them. It's good to see a man who thinks so much of his wife that he wants to kiss her. We see so much of the other here, with men deserting their wives on every hand, that the other is very refreshing to encounter. I think it should be allowed and even encouraged when people show any tendency that way."

For a legal opinion of the first water, City Attorney John W. Stetson was appealed to. "I don't think it's a legal matter at all, but wholly personal. It depends on the conditions and the personal taste of the kisser and kissee, so to speak, and their ability to control their emotions. I don't believe in wearing my domestic affections on my sleeve myself, but I'd let others do as they please in case a man wanted to kiss his wife in a public place—but be sure it's his own wife! That's the most important. But it isn't a legal matter at all, and I think it should be decided by the women."

BALM FOR THE MARRIED.

So here is balm for the loving wife and hubby of Oakland, in the assurance from the city's leading officials that they will not be interfered with in the expression of their conjugal affections even though they should choose the street corner or other conspicuous location for the manifestation. It is a great relief no doubt, to those who feared that their domestic caresses would have to be referred to a board of public censors and passed upon before they could be indulged in with safety and a quiet mind.

What Do You Think About This?



MYSTERY VEILS FINDING OF CORPSE

Well Dressed Stranger Is Discovered Dead on New York Street.

Name in Hat Shows He Came From San Francisco; Police Investigate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. — The body of an unidentified man, who from marks on his clothing is believed to have come to this city from San Francisco was found today in the hallway of a house on West Forty-ninth street, just on the border of the big hotel and amusement district.

A hasty examination supplied no evidence of how the man had died and the police at once instituted an investigation. Medical authorities said the man had been dead about two hours. The body was taken to the morgue, where an autopsy will be performed.

LOCKED PREPOSSESSING.

The man wore clothing of excellent material and his general personal appearance was prepossessing. He was about 35 years old, weighed in the neighborhood of 170 pounds and almost six feet tall. Nothing except a door key was found in his pockets. His derby hat bore the name of McCreedy Brothers, 32 Clementina street, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 23. — The McCreedy Hat Company, formerly of 32 Clementina street, has recently moved to 268 Welsh street, and one of the partners was authority for the statement that a number of retailers, to whom they sell, purchased hats with their mark in them.

The hat could be identified by the wholesalers here as far as the retail dealer who purchased it is concerned. The only hats sent east by the firm have been to relatives of the partners. There is a McCreedy at present living at 32 Clementina street, the premises formerly occupied by the hat company, but he is in this city alive and well.

CANDY KID THIEF SENTENCED TO LIFE TERM

Slayer of Two Men Goes to Prison; Provision Against Parole

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Leigh Rhodus, known as the "candy kid robber" to the police, who, when arrested in East St. Louis for burglary a month ago confessed to two murders in Chicago because he said he preferred a murder trial in Chicago to a burglary trial in East St. Louis, was sentenced today to life imprisonment. His victims were Dr. Wm. S. Michaelis and Anton Heigib, a contractor, both of whom resisted robbery.

In addition to the life sentence, Judge Kersten sentenced Rhodus to serve three indeterminate terms of imprisonment, each from one year to life imprisonment. This was to forestall possible application for parole later.

Rhodus gained his police characterization from his confession that he robbed more than 100 persons in Chicago so that his young bride might have candy and confections.

"Santa" Takes His Hat Off Acknowledging That the



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At the same low price,

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Rolled Shoulder Roast ..... 10c per lb.
Pot Roast ..... 9c per lb.
Hind Quarter Spring Lamb ..... 15c per lb.
Fore Quarter Spring Lamb ..... 10c per lb.
Pork Shoulder Roast ..... 12½c per lb.
Pork Loin Roast ..... 16c per lb.
Fresh Ham Roast ..... 15c per lb.

WASHINGTON MARKET Ninth and Washington Sts.

WRITES TO SOCIETY EDITOR OF CATCHING A RUNAWAY HORSE

The following communication was mailed to and received by the society editor of THE TRIBUNE this morning:

"A young colt escaped last evening from the stables of the American Creamery, Fifteenth and Kirkham streets, and was captured by their bright collector, Mr. W. E. Heathorne, after a hard day's tramping over Berkeley hills.

"Mr. Heathorne has not ridden a horse for twenty years or more, but attempted to find the wild animal.

"He at last found it grazing on Berkeley hills. He then drove it for a homeward journey over trestles, hills and a railroad track of two miles, without rope or halter, until he reached the stables.

"Mr. Heathorne was very tired and hungry, as he had not had anything to eat since night before, but he enjoyed two raw eggs and a glass of milk set before him on his arrival."

FIRST SERVICES TO BE HELD IN CHURCH

Special Dispensation Granted for Christmas Mass in Albany Edifice.

ALBANY, Dec. 23.—A special dispensation having been obtained for holding services in the new St. Ambrose parish church before the regular dedication and formal opening, Father Sampson will celebrate mass in the edifice on Christmas day. The dedication will not take place until February.

Albany members of the Catholic faith rejoice over the privilege of attending services in the new church before its formal opening. Regular masses will be celebrated by Father Sampson after next Sunday.

BETTER FIRE PROTECTION FOR FACTORY DISTRICT

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — The Peoples Water Company is installing a six-inch main on Camelia street from San Pablo avenue to Talbot street. Fire hydrants will be installed at Cameila and Stannage streets, and Camelia and Talbot streets. This improvement is being made in order that the factory district around the foot of Camelia street may be adequately protected against fire. This district includes the California Ink Company, the Berkeley Iron Works, the Manassee-Block Tanning Company and a number of other important plants.

SHOWED DIVORCE AS HIS DEFENSE

Man Puzzles Judge When He Is Haled to Court on Abandonment Charge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23. Charles Holcomb, who was arrested at Twenty-fourth and Capp streets yesterday for the alleged abandonment of his wife and six children in San Leandro, appeared before Judge Cabaniss today on a writ of habeas corpus in an endeavor to effect his release.

The fact that Holcomb exhibited an interlocutory decree of divorce has placed the district attorney in a quandary but advices from the southern city indicate that Mrs. Holcomb was in entire ignorance of the affair and is destitute.

Pending an investigation the matter was continued until Tuesday, and there may be grounds for a perjury charge against Holcomb, the information having been altered if he is said to have sworn in his divorce complaint that he had only two children.

HIS SCALP LACERATED.

John Williams, a laborer, living at 639 San Pablo avenue, became involved in a street brawl this morning on lower Broadway with the result that he had to be assisted to the Receiving Hospital, where his lacerated scalp was sewed up.

BERKELEY — FRUITVALE MELROSE — NEWS OF — ELMHURST SAN LEANDRO HAYWARD — ALAMEDA

SHEEPSKINS GIVEN TO SEVENTEEN GRADUATES

Impressive Ceremonies Are Held by Alameda High School Class.

STANFORD PROFESSOR DELIVERS THE ADDRESS

Large Assemblage of Parents and Friends Attend Elaborate Function.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—Diplomas were awarded to the seventeen members of the graduating class of December, 1910, of the Alameda high school last evening at the commencement exercises held at the First Methodist church.

After the class members had taken their places on the platform at the conclusion of the march and following the invocation by Dr. Frank S. Brush, Dr. George C. Thompson, principal of the high school and chairman of the evening, introduced Class President Cleon Koetitz, who delivered the customary speech of welcome. In extending greetings on behalf of the class, its president set forth the part that the high school graduate should play in furthering the uplifting forces of the community, and he showed that the members of the class were alive to their responsibilities. The scope of the school's curriculum and the needs for increased facilities were briefly touched on.

MUSICAL PROGRAM.

Interspersed with the several addresses was a musical program in which students of the high school took a prominent part.

Miss Vere Fraser delivered an address of appreciation as the chosen representative of the graduates in which she acknowledged the mammoth debt of gratitude the high school students owed to parents, to teachers, to the men of art and science who have devoted their lives to light the pathway of the student, and to the state which has provided such splendid facilities for the acquirement of an education.

In his address on "The Call of the Day," Professor Burt Estes Howard, head of the department of economics of Stanford university, pleaded for a universal recognition of and an adherence to the fine ideals of steadfast honesty and righteous living.

"The call of the day," he said, "is to play a man's full part in the world of men. The call of the day is not to material success; it is rather to moral steadfastness; it is not to the accomplishment of deeds; it is to fidelity to ideals.

SERIES OF CRISES.

"Life is a series of moral crises. Each man who attempts to do business in any form—professional, commercial, ecclesiastical—meets with forces that tempt him to graft. All classes are tainted with this form of corruption, which is aggravated by competition. A man has need to choose between personal and corporate integrity and national decay, and what the universal choice is is indicated by the wave of moral revolution that is sweeping over the country. It is the spirit of the times that is working the change, for laws cannot put a conscience in the hearts of the people. Socialism may create an economic Garden of Eden, but it can't put a moral backbone in Adam. Not social theories, but individual morality is needed. Every great moral reform has been built on the scale of one. We must go back of the obstructions of modern society and reach the individual unity, for a nation is no better than the composite individual within it. We cannot retard the evils that infest the nation today until we reach a point where we put a higer value on righteousness.

TOO MUCH MATERIALISM.

"In this day the chief thing seems to be to get on in the world. It is regarded as a subordinate thing to get honest. We must get a new and divine vision of the dignity of manhood. Whatever view we may hold in respect to Socialism, we must not lose recognition of the value of the man. Socialism is purchased at too great a price when it swallows up the units that comprise society."

SUPERINTENDENT WOOD.

In introducing Superintendent of Schools Will C. Wood Dr. Thompson took the opportunity to pay a tribute to his administration of the affairs of the school department. Wood told of the new buildings and new addition that had been made possible by the hearty ratification of the people of the recommendations submitted by the board of education, through the city council, after a laborious and thorough study of the needs of the schools.

"When these improvements shall be complete," he said, "no schools in the state will outrank ours in appointments. Especial attention has been paid to sanitation. Vacuum cleaning will remove all particles of dust, an obvious forward step from the standpoint of hygiene. The floors are to be of maple.

"In the new buildings are spacious assembly halls, for the school department believes these buildings belong to the people and they are going to be made available for meetings of various sorts. We don't think it is proper that they should be shut up eighteen hours a day and 175 days of the year.

HIGH SCHOOL NEEDS.

"Soon we shall go before the people to ask for improvements for the high school. The structure built for $55,000 in 1902 to accommodate the students of a city of 16,000 people is not adequate for a growing community 50 per cent larger. We want to enlarge the curriculum, but we have not now the room. Even so, we have this year added economics, commercial geography, physical geography and Spanish to the courses. I want to congratulate Dr. Thompson and the faculty for the splendid work they have been doing and I want to say that nowhere in the land are students enjoying better opportunities than here in Alameda."

Dr. Thompson announced that the conferences of parents and teachers, abandoned last term because of the many lecture courses established, would be resumed after the Christmas holidays. In presenting the class for graduation he praised the high standard of scholarship of its members and announced that Mabel Hardin and Vere Fraser had tied for first honors, the faculty having been unable to rank the records of one above the other. Gladys Deming was the third student in scholarship. The principal commended the class especially for the establishment of the custom of a baccalaureate sermon and for setting the precedent of a class night at graduation time.

DIPLOMAS AWARDED.

President D. L. Randolph of the board of education read the scholarship honor roll of the high school for the term just ended and then distributed the diplomas, taking occasion to say that it would be his last service in the capacity, as his term of office would expire early in the year.

At the reading of their names the graduates stepped forward to receive the coveted sheepskins and a hearty round of handclapping greeted each. The personnel of the class follows: Valerie Ansel, Claire Louise Bartels, Marie Bernadette Chucovich, Gladys Louise Deming, Estelle Edna Frank, Vere Geneva Fraser, Mabel Anna Hardin, Cleon Alvin Koetitz, Ramon Luis Maytorena Jr., Charles Herbert Medcraft, Baxter McNutt, Hanalia Augusta Moore, Mabel Munthe, Marjorie Reed Taylor, Harvey James Thompson, James Reginald Thralls, Frank Spray Weeden.

ELKS OF ALAMEDA TO ASSIST NEEDY

Antlered Herd Prepares Baskets of Christmas Cheer for the Poor.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—The Alameda Elks will follow out their usual Christmas custom this year and distribute baskets of food Christmas morning to the poor families of the city. This work is in the hands of a committee known as the "Charity committee," which handles the distribution of food every year. This committee is in charge of W. G. Taylor, the chairman, who has a host of assistants to aid him.

Early Christmas morning the Elks' committee will gather at the hall, baskets, each containing turkeys, chickens, vegetables and delicacies enough to provide a family with two or three good meals, will be loaded on wagons and automobiles, lists of needy families will be handed around and the Elks will start on their charitable work.

Just how many baskets of food will be needed Taylor does not know just yet, but he declares that every needy family in the city will be taken care of and that if any one in Alameda misses a Christmas dinner, it will not be the fault of the Elks.

GERMAN RESIDENT OF ALAMEDA IS CALLED

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—Ham Herman Ihner, a native of Germany and 57 years of age, for seven years a resident of this city, died at the Merritt hospital in Oakland yesterday afternoon after a short illness. He was a decorator and had a shop on Post street, in San Francisco.

Mr. Ihnen was a member of Court Golden Gate No. 603, I. O. F., and also of the Painters' and Decorators' Association of San Francisco. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lizzie Ihnen. The funeral will be held Saturday morning from his late residence at 1529 Verdi street.

KNOWLAND SAYS HIS HOME CITY IS BEST

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—City Auditor and Assessor F. J. Croll received a letter from Congressman J. R. Knowland, who is in Washington, thanking him for sending the annual report and congratulating the auditor on the completeness of the report.

"Your report shows that Alameda is rapidly progressing and that its financial condition is one to be proud of," says the letter. "I am glad that everything is so prosperous and feel assured that my home city is still the best place after all."

ARTERY INTO ALAMEDA IS BEING REPAIRED

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—The street department has commenced work on High street, between the end of the macadamized section and the High street bridge. The roadway will be placed in repair for the winter months as it has been in exceedingly bad condition, but will be macadamized to the bridge in the spring.

Hutchison Company has commenced work with a large force of men putting in a sewer on Grand street, between Clinton and Dayton avenues.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — The annual election of officers of Berkeley chapter No. 92, Royal Arch Masons, was held Wednesday evening, resulting as follows: High priest, Alfred Jay Walker; king, Gifford Horace Gresly McGrew; scribe, James L. Scottchler; treasurer, Robert Greig; secretary, Edward A. Stevenson.

The installation of officers will be held January 25 and will be followed by a dance and banquet which will be open to the public.

BERKELEY IN RACE FOR PLANNED SITE

Secretary of Navy Meyer Writes He Will Consider That City.

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — A letter from Secretary of the Navy Meyer relative to Berkeley's ambition to secure the site for the proposed new navy yard, was read at last night's meeting of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce. Secretary Meyer says:

"I have to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of December 5th, inviting attention to Berkeley as a possible site for a docking and repair station on San Francisco bay. In case Congress should decide to establish a docking and repair station on San Francisco bay, your suggestion will receive due consideration.

"Very truly yours,

"GEO. V. MEYER,
"Secretary of the Navy."

Secretary Drury of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce transmitted another letter to the Secretary of the Navy drawing attention to the advantages of Berkeley on account of the great area of level land available for shipbuilding operations. He referred also to the value of such facilities in a manufacturing plant such as a navy yard is and the ease with which a deep channel may be opened from the outer bay.

Berkeley Society

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — Miss Helen Pennell has cards out for a tea Wednesday afternoon of next week complimentary to Mrs. Chester Linwood Roadhouse, a bride of a few weeks. The hostess will receive a large number of guests at her home on Piedmont avenue. She was one of the attendants at the wedding of Dr. Roadhouse and Miss Christine Judah.

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Lillian Russell was the honored guest of Mr and Mrs. Paul Steindorff at a recent dinner given by the host and hostess at their home, 2422 Stuart street. The dinner party included, besides the honored guest, Miss Dorothy Russell, Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leahy, Major Jeffries, Mr. and Mrs. Steindorff.

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Formal announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Ethlyn Dulin of Los Angeles and James R. Brehm of Wilkeson, Wash., a son of Mrs. L. E. Brehm of Berkeley and a brother of Miss Bertha Brehm. The bride-elect is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Dulin of Los Angeles. She was a member of the class of '09 in the University of California and of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Her fiance is a business man of Washington, where he will take his bride following the marriage in the spring.

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Mr. and Mrs. Von Lober Sels will spend the Christmas season with Prof. and Mrs. F. Slate in Berkeley. Mrs. Von Loben Sels was Miss Elinor Slate before her marriage a year ago. The home is in Sacramento.

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The Christmas week end will be spent by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hamilton at San Jose, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Hamilton's mother.

Mrs. M. E. Hamilton of Sacramento will spend the holidays with her daughter, Miss Grace Hamilton, at the Sigma Kappa sorority home on College avenue.

APPEARS IN COURT ON CRUELTY CHARGE

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—William S. Delacy, a cement worker of 2155 Ashby avenue, was arraigned in Police Judge Edgar's court this afternoon on a charge of cruelty to animals and his trial set for a later date. He was arrested upon complaint of Mrs. G. Lytton, of Russell street, who charged that he was driving a sick horse to a large wagon, and that the animal had a sore back. Delacy is at liberty on $25 bail.

QUICK GROWTH OF JEWELRY FIRM

M. J. Schoenfeld Will Soon Be Located on Broadway.

As an example of what may be done by careful attention to business, square dealing and enterprise, the career of M. J. Schoenfeld in the jewelry business of Oakland is worthy of attention.

Two things are necessary to success in mercantile business—honest methods and a pleasing personality. Without them, success rarely comes and in the case of M. J. Schoenfeld both these prerequisites are prominently concerned.

From a small window space at 40 San Pablo avenue to a handsome store at Twelfth and Broadway—the busiest corner in the city—is the record of Schoenfeld's establishment. By the middle of January he will be located in one of the finest jewelry stores in Oakland at 1099 Broadway with a full line of the latest staples and novelties.

Four years ago next April M. J. Schoenfeld & Co. came here from San Francisco and started in business at the location mentioned, later taking the adjoining store, which soon proved inadequate. But they were forced to make the best of it owing to inability to secure desirable quarters elsewhere. Finally the new location became available and the opportunity was quickly grasped.

The $20,000 stock in the San Pablo avenue store—No. 38—is being disposed of as rapidly as possible to make way for the new lines and to this end the prices have been reduced on everything. When the new place of business is opened it will contain one of the most comprehensive stocks of jewelry that is to be found this side of the bay. In addition repairing will be attended to by expert workmen as before.

M. J. Schoenfeld has achieved popularity socially as well as in a business way, being prominently identified with numerous clubs and other organizations. His faculty for making friends has had much to do with his success. Likewise his belief in the value of printer's ink. But above all it has been his habits of square-dealing and his honest methods that have won for him the enviable position he now holds among the merchants of this city.

In conclusion it may be mentioned that Mr. Schoenfeld has purchased the interest formerly held in the business by his two partners and will henceforth conduct it alone, aided of course by a large staff of clerks.

PUPILS GRADUATE FROM GRAMMAR SCHOOLS

Large Number of Children Now Eligible to Enter High School.

EVENT OBSERVED BY EXTENSIVE EXERCISES

Ministers of City Advise Children Upon Their Completing Preparatory Work.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—Graduation exercises were held this morning in the grammar schools of the city, school being closed for the holidays. The programs of the various classes and the graduates are as follows:

Longfellow school—Song, "My Own United States," graduating class and Glee Club; composition, "Food," Anita Schulze; song, "Good Night to the River," Glee Club, Fitz-James and Roderick Dhu, George Mellin; dialogue, Hiller Zobel, William Geary; song, "Love's Old Sweet Song," Glee Club; address, Rev. J. R. Perkins; song, "Christmas Bells," Glee Club; presentation of class gift, Hiller Zobel; presentation of diplomas, Principal E. Alber; song, "America."

Wilson school—Music, "Sounds From Home," orchestra; song, "Pretty Village Maiden," eighth grades; recitation, "Molly," Jeanne Sturtevant; kit, "A Dream of the Class of 1910," Cly Roberts, Winnie Hosford, Mary Dunbar; music, "Cribiribin," orchestra; reading of the class will, Clarita Edwards; song, Happy and Light," eighth grades; address to the graduates, Rev. C. L. Mears; presentation of the class gift, Elmer Uppoff, class president; acceptance and presentation of diplomas, Principal F. H. Kruse; music, selection from Trovatore, orchestra; song, "Christmas Song," eighth grades.

HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL.

Porter school—Program given in the high school auditorium: Selection by orchestra, song by class, "The Navajos and Their Blankets," Phelps Hollywood; violin solo, Alvin Chattock; recitation, Elna Hendrickson; cornet solo, Edward Bacher; address and presentation of diplomas, Charles S. Neal; song by class; selection by orchestra; exit march.

Mastick school—Orchestra selection, "Stars and Stripes Forever"; class song; "The Bees"; piano solo, "To Spring," Adah Brandt; vocal solo, "Rosary," Mathilda Stross; trio (cornet, piano and violin), "Serenade," Gounod; presentation of gifts; distribution of diplomas, Superintendent Will C. Wood; orchestra selections, "To the End of the World With You"; class song, "The Sailor Lad"; orchestra selection, "Aloha Oe."

PASTOR ADDRESSES.

Haight school—Selection by Haight orchestra, class song; class speech, Miss Irene McCraith; recitation, Miss Carrie Gilman; chorus, "Now the Day Is Over"; address and presentation of diplomas, Rev. Willsie Manning Martin; selection by Haight orchestra.

Porter graduates—Edward L. Bacher, James W. Bailey, Annette Ruth Balthasar, Marie Boyd, Robert H. Cavanaugh, Alvin Thomas Chattock, Jean Crocket, William F. Donnison, Inez Regert Drake, Leslie Gray, William Lloyd Griffin, Harriet Ruth Haslam, Erna M. Henrickson, Theodore Hermopla, Adolph J. Hobe, Leonard Bazley Hollywood, Phebe E. L. Hollywood, Delia Irene Lalola, Benton A. MacLelland, Charles T. Mehan, George H. Meyer, Austin W. Morris, Ilva McKimmins, Donald McLeod Pearson, Dean W. Perkins, Josephine Smith, Edward P. Sutton, Leland W. Sweeney, Andrew G. Townsend.

Longfellow graduates—William Alfred Geary, Hiller Zobel, Herbert Townsend, Otto Janizen, Anita Schulze, George Mellin, Zula Johnson, Albert Wieland, Ralph C. Tappan.

MANY GRADUATES.

Haight graduates—Aubrey Wellington Burnett, Emma Craig Decker, Walter Oscar Dessauer, Edna Annie Evans, Manfred Winfred Gaither, Carrie Stella Gilman, Willard Cronise Griffin, Russell George Haskins, Henry John Hirsch, Florence Jackson, Amanda Charlotte Johnson, Ruth Ingebory Johnson, S. Niel Laidlaw, Irene McCraith, Donald J. McKean, Elsie Walker Menzies, Ethel Maud Rowe, Edania Margaret Smith, Gladys Fredrika Tower, Hildegarde Van Brunt, Arthur T. Young, Margaret Isabel Warford.

Wilson graduates—Manetta McLennan, Clara Aleing, Aubrey K. Bennett, Eva Benson, Muriel Cohen, Mary Dunbar, Clarita Edwards, Anita Fish, Winifred Hosford, Lela Kern, Frank J. Lelon, Spencer Schmidt, Jeanne Sturtevant, Elmer Uppoff and Cly Roberts.

Mastick graduates—George H. Kahl, Emily G. Baird, Meta Ottilie Brandt, Adah Lois Brandt, Bruce Barton, Farrington, Louis Robert Hinck, Elmer P. Zollner, Robert Francis Bake, Guido Depaoli, Arthur Beach, Margaret Shear, Anna Mae Miele, Mathilda N. Stross, Marguerite M. Shipman, Florence H. Peterson, Ethel Marie Robinson, Helen E. Thym, Harry S. Fischer, Arthur E. Rennell, Ralph W. Dickinson, Adele Gluck, Martha A. Arndt, Aneta B. Clinton.

Alameda Personals

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23. — Mr. and Mrs. George W. Scott will have a family reunion Sunday at their home on Central avenue. Those who will be present at the Christmas dinner are Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott and their two children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCandlish, Leland Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. J. C. Henkenius and her daughter, Mrs. Fred Stewart, have returned from a three months' visit to Honolulu.

Mrs. E. Elmer and her son Robert Elmer, are home from a year's tour of Europe, where they went with Miss Stella Austin, who remained abroad.

Miss Alma Schroeder, who is visiting her home in this city for a few weeks, will return to Applegate in January.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes Bird are to spend Christmas in Hayward.

Captain and Mrs. S. F. Graves have gone to Santa Cruz to spend the holidays with their daughter.

TRUNK DANGLES AT TOP OF FLAGPOLE

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—After "Zeke" McNear, junior student and fraternity man, had begun to pack his trunk yesterday, preparatory to leaving for his home in Petaluma, his brothers of the Alpha Delta Phi tried to persuade him to stay a day longer at the frat house. When he refused he was overpowered and his trunk hoisted to the top of the chapter house flagpole, 70 feet from the ground. A streamer announced to passersby that the owner of the trunk was from Petaluma. McNear finally lowered the trunk and escaped to the fair city.

MANY CHURCHES WILL CELEBRATE

Charity Organizations Make Arrangements to Distribute Gifts.

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tree festival this evening in the church parlors. In addition to a musical program a Christmas cantata will be presented by the children under the direction of their teachers.

OTHER ENTERTAINMENTS.

Under the direction of Miss A. Hagerman and Mrs. C. Perry, the members of the San Leandro Presbyterian Bible school will present its Christmas entertainment tonight. The program will be as follows: Introduction, Rev. M. Drew; "A Christmas Song," Mabel Keith; "His Birthday," Mabel Soo; song, "Oh, I Hear the Glad Song," Hannan Keith, Ruth Harbert, Helen Force, Andrew Anderson, Walter Soo; reading, Mrs. E. L. Brown; "Looking Forward," Gertrude Keith; "The First Christmas Morning," Thelma Reed; "A Parting Christmas Rhyme," Elsie Menkins; cantata, "In Search of the King," by the members of the classes. In addition, there will be several chorus numbers.

This afternoon the San Leandro Methodist Sunday school gave a Christmas party and banquet in the Masonic Temple. Following the serving of the menu in the dining hall, which was profusely decorated with holly and Christmas berries, this program was presented: Jingle, jungle chorus and stocking brigade by primary classes; vocal duet, Ida Geisenhofer and Irene Hankozy; recitation, "Hello, Santa;" Walter and John Myers; recitation, "My Dolly," Norma Royer; violin and piano duet, Millie Geisenhofer and Jessie Jones, reading, "A Christmas Party," Mrs. S. M. M. Woodman.

PICTURES TO BE SHOWN.

The nativity pictures of modern artists will be exhibited by stereopticon slides to be given Sunday evening in the Eighth-avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Eighth avenue and East Seventeenth street, and on Monday evening the children of the Sunday-school will give an entertainment.

An illustrated lecture on "The Holy Land" will be given by Professor and Mrs. Maynard Shipley in the First Unitarian church, Fourteenth and Castro streets, Sunday evening.

The Bible-school of the First Presbyterian church will hold its Christmas exercises at 12:30 o'clock after the regular Christmas services in the church.

The Sunday-school Christmas exercises of the Danish Lutheran church will be held Tuesday evening in the church parlors, East Fifteenth street and Second avenue.

The members of the Elmhurst Baptist church will give a Christmas entertainment Tuesday evening in Red Men's hall, Elmhurst.

The Sunday-school festivities of the First Methodist Episcopal church will be held Friday evening, December 30, in the church parlors, Fourteenth and Castro streets, when a Christmas cantata, entitled "Santa Claus at Home," will be given by twenty-five children of the school. The St. Hilda circle of the King's Daughters will give Hayden's Joy Symphony during the evening.

CHILDREN REHEARSING.

The children of All Saints' church have been rehearsing under the direction of Mrs. T. L. Kelly for the annual Christmas festival, which is to be given on Thursday evening, December 29. The feature of the entertainment will be the presentation of the beautiful cantata, "Cinderella." Zelia Vierra will portray the role of Cinderella, while Alice Deinelo will be the fairy godmother, Lois Mattos the fairy queen, Joseph Duarte Prince Charming, and Cecelia Mattos and Ruth Cooper will play the role of Marigolda and Dressalinda, the hateful sisters. Mrs. Kelly is being assisted by Rev. J. McElroy, assistant pastor of the church.

The Salvation Army will deliver its Christmas dinners tomorrow and Monday afternoon an entertainment will be given at the Christmas tree festival.

The Little Workers' club of the West Oakland home will entertain the children of that institution Wednesday afternoon, when toys of all descriptions will be presented. The tree was donated by the ladies of the home, while the gifts have been purchased by the girls of the club.

The Associated Charities will provide gifts for the waifs who are boarding in this city. They will gather at the Christmas tree December 30, and will be made happy by toys, which have been placed at the disposal of the society by benevolent men and women.

RELIGIOUS RITES FOR DEAD STUDENT

Clergyman Prevents the Body From Going to Grave Without Sacred Ceremony.

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—Owing to a lack of funds left by the late Hugh Bliss Godlover, a graduate student at the University of California, who died December 6 at the college infirmary, no arrangements for the holding of religious services at the funeral of the young man were made until nearly noon today.

The hour for the transfer of the body from the Brown undertaking parlors to Mountain View cemetery was set for 2 o'clock. Before noon, however, Rev. J. A. B. Fry, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church, South, learned that the remains were about to be consigned to their last resting place without sacred rites, as well as without the attendance of friends or relatives. The clergyman at once offered to officiate, and accordingly read a scripture selection and gave a prayer at the undertaker's chapel this afternoon.

The remains were interred in Mountain View cemetery, the $260 left by the dead student being sufficient to purchase a lot and a casket.

No word has yet been received from relatives of Godlover in Vienna, although Public Administrator Mehrmann has communicated with them. The funeral was delayed in the hope of receiving some word as to the disposition of the remains.

CHRISTMAS CHEER AT ALBANY TOWN

Entertainments and Trees Are Attractions in Growing Berkeley Suburb.

ALBANY, Dec. 23.—Last night the members and friends of the Methodist church enjoyed a Christmas entertainment. It was the first gathering in the edifice since it was renovated.

Tomorrow evening the children of the Albany school will entertain and be entertained by the teachers and the Mothers' Club. There is to be a Christmas tree and pupils' exercises, which will close the term.

Wednesday evening the volunteer fire department and their families had a Christmas tree at their headquarters.

PLANTING FOREST ON YERBA BUENA ISLAND

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — Information has been received by the chamber of commerce from T. D. Woodbury, assistant district forester of the United States Forestry Bureau, that the work of planting trees on Goat island will begin at once, and the secretary was authorized to arrange for raising the additional funds that will be required to carry this undertaking to completion.

The Oakland chamber of commerce, the San Francisco chamber of commerce and the Merchants' Association of San Francisco are joined with the Berkeley chamber of commerce in the movement for the beautification of the islands of San Francisco bay.

Goat island is chosen for the initial demonstration of what foliage will do for these barren slopes. After the people see what can be done with a comparatively small outlay it is expected that they will respond freely for an extension of these operations.

YULETIDE SEASON IN THE CHURCHES

Christmas Exercises in Berkeley Houses of Worship Have Begun.

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—The Christmas exercises of Knox Presbyterian Church on Russell street, near Shattuck avenue, were held last night. There were a number of Christmas carols by the Sabbath school. The classes taught by Miss Callahan, Miss Brainard, E. Lee, Miss Carlton, Miss Howell and Miss Crowl gave recitations. A novel feature of the evening was the use of stereopticon views of the paintings of the famous artists on the subject of "The Nativity."

Donations of toys, clothing, provisions and money were received and will be sent to the Charity Organization Society to be distributed.

CANTATA TONIGHT.

The members of the Park Congregational Sunday-school will give a Christmas cantata entitled "The Birth of Christ" at the church on Fairview street this evening.

A class of thirty children is being drilled by A. T. Sutherland for the choruses and the solo parts are to be taken by members of the church choir. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to the benefit of the church.

The following will take prominent parts in the production: Soloists, Martha Nelson, Eleanor Calman; angels, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Harry Edwards, Miss Louis Van Wycklyn; goddess, Miss Vivian Edwards, Miss Ethel Pushie; shepherds, Harry Edwards, George Johnson, M. Morton; frost king, Harry Edwards; three graces, Faith, Edith Brunker; Hope, Mrs. Van Wycklin; Charity, Mrs. Gray. The accompanist will be Mrs. George Johnson.

AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

The full ceremonial of the Catholic ritual will be seen in the Christmas celebration at St. Joseph's church on Addison street next Sunday morning. The first mass will be celebrated at 5 o'clock. A picked choir will sing "Noel" and other Christmas hymns, while an orchestra of stringed instruments will accompany the singers.

Following the mass at 5 o'clock, mass will be celebrated every hour until 11 o'clock, when the grand mass will be sung with all the ceremonial of that solemn function. Rev. Dr. Sutherland for the choruses and the celebrant of the mass, with Rev. Father Brennan as deacon and Rev. Father Ryan sub-deacon. The ceremonies will be under the direction of Edward Condon, master of ceremonies, and the full sanctuary society will be present. The sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Father Brennan.

Already the work of decorating the church for the festival has begun, and the altars look particularly beautiful with a background of green set off by the rich colors of the poinsettias and Christmas berries. Wreaths adorn the candelabra on the main pillars, graceful garlands hang from pinnacles of the altars and palms stud the sanctuary.

The following program of music will be rendered at the solemn high mass at 11 o'clock. Organ prelude, Marcha triumphal. "Adeste Fideles," by a chorus; "Esperges Me" will be followed by Farmer's mass in B flat, sung by the great choir with orchestral accompaniments. The soprano soloists will be Miss Colburn and Miss Stiegler; alto, Miss Hamilton; contralto, Miss Stroull; tenor, Berrong; bass, E. V. McGinty. "Veni Creator" will be sung by a male quartet and "Holy Night" by soprano and chorus. Organ recessional will be "Coronation March."

JAPANESE NEWSPAPER MUST PAY DAMAGES

Lulu G. Stevens, a school teacher, who has been teaching young Orientals, has been awarded a judgment for $1000 against the publishers of the Japanese-American, a daily newspaper. The suit was for libel, Miss Jones producing a translation of an article suggesting that she was immoral. The trial was before a jury, and she sued for $10,000.

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TRIBUNE'S PAGE OF SPORTS

Edited by EDDIE SMITH

HOGAN TO MEET BURNS IN JANUARY

ONE-ROUND DEMON READY TO TACKLE OAKLAND SCRAPPER

Manager Frayne Awaits Offer From Some Promoter to Stage the Bout

By EDDIE SMITH.

All present indications point to a Frankie Burns-"One-Round" Jack Hogan match next month in San Francisco. Walter Frayne, acting for Hogan, has said that he will accept the match for his charge and that he will cover the $1000 side bet that has been offered by Manager Jack Perkins. Frayne says that he is not in any hurry to sign articles and will not be ready to put his John Henry to a set of agreements until such time as a promoter has come forth with a suitable offering for the contest.

In this Walter will not have long to wait, for Jim Griffin is already dickering with Burns and has said that nothing would please him better than to handle a match between Hogan and Burns. This will mean that the red-headed promoter will make an offer of 50 per cent of the gate receipts for the battle, the money to be cut any way the boxers agree on. That offer should get the match, for neither of the men are worth any bonus as yet, and the managers should know it. With no dickering over bonus money the match should be considered as good as made.

Burns and Hogan will prove some card for the fans who saw this pair of youngsters in their four-round bout, and there were many present who have been dead anxious to have the opportunity of witnessing a battle wherein the best man will have plenty of chance to show his superiority. In a twenty-round affair the boys should be able to prove which of the two is the best man and who is entitled to the chance to work up to the championship.

BURNS TO START TRAINING.

Burns will start light work at Al White's place in anticipation of the match, and Hogan will no doubt be ready to go to Shannon's resort by the first of the year. According to the present plans of Manager Walter Frayne he wants his boy to have a good time over the holidays, forgetting that he is a scrapper. Every precaution is to be taken against having Hogan go stale, and it is thought that two weeks of good time will just put him right for another whirl at the training camp.

The match is a natural one, and in securing it Griffin is lucky and Frayne showing good judgment. Before Hogan can make any claim to the right to championship matches he must clear the local field, and Burns will be the first to be taken on. If Hogan can't beat Burns and La Grave, he will never be a champion, for each will climb up the ladder with him, and it is far better to try his hand at besting this pair right at the start than it is to allow them to improve and become harder game.

AMATEURS GO ON TONIGHT.

Tonight at the Dreamland pavilion Frank Schuler will stage his card of four-round contests that have been pronounced the best offerings of the kind of the year. The double main event between Walter Schulken and Joe Lanum and Freddie Couture and Harry Baker has caught the fancy of men who have not been in the habit of attending the four-round shows, and there is not the slightest doubt but that an exceptionally large crowd will be on hand.

The bout between Couture and Baker has aroused the interest of the fans on this side of the bay to a far greater extent than the heavyweight match, the reason being that both have appeared so often at the local shows that each has a following of his own, and the match has been talked of so often that the fans are more than passingly anxious to have the debate as to the best man settled.

Baker is an exceptionally clever fellow and Couture a rough workman. This means that the battle will be one in which the rough fellow will be trying for the haymaker and the clever fellow for points. This means the bout will be entertaining from the start. The remainder of the card is exceptionally strong and is made up of five other contests.

KAUFMAN VS. JOHNSON. WHAT!

The friends of Al Kaufman are again talking of having the California giant challenge Jack Johnson. If this talk is the press agent bunk, then the friends have started a good line of conversation for the fans. If it is on the level, Al is not having a very good Christmas present handed to him. The time is not ripe for a Kaufman-Johnson battle, for the black warrior will have to go back considerably before any man of the ability of a Kaufman can best him. Johnson has said that he will accept if he is shown where he can make $30,000 out of the match. Of course, this is a mere trifle and the promoters from all over the country will fall over one another in making the offer—I don't think.

Albert has two matches awaiting him in New Orleans, and as the governor has returned home and has not said that he will prevent the boxing contests taking place, there is a good chance of the big fellow picking up some easy money beating Tony Ross and Jim Barry. But as for Johnson—the training camp bouts between the white and black man at Reno forever forbids a match between the two unless the white shows a great improvement, and the black very distinct signs of loss of ability to swap punches.

POWELL HOMEWARD BOUND.

Lew Powell writes that he is on his way home to the land of sunshine and flowers, and Charlie Harvey, his manager, wires that Lew is to meet Jack Goodman in New York tonight. As the letter in which Powell states that he had given up hope of getting on in New York again and would leave on the 20th of this month was written on the 16th, and the wire of Harvey came yesterday afternoon, the fans are in a quandary as to which of the messages they can depend on. The chances are, however, that after sending the letter Harvey landed a match for the local scrapper and that Lew has laid over in order that he might make one more clean-up before coming home.

According to the reports from the East and from Powell, he is a greatly improved boxer and the experience he has gained in the big village has done him a lot of good. One thing is sure, and that is he must have been doing some good work there, for he has had a hard time getting on with the Eastern boxers of his weight.

FLYNN GOING TO PARIS.

Jim Flynn has announced that after his bout with Tony Caponi next Monday afternoon he will go to Paris, where he claims he has several matches in sight. The bout between Flynn and Caponi has attracted considerable attention in the south, and it is expected that Tom McCrarey will have a good crowd at the Vernon area. With his rough style of milling Flynn will make a great hit in Paris, for they are great admirers of the rough fast workmen in the ring. Surely there are few better at this end of the game than Flynn.

AMERICAN FOOTBALL EXPONENTS AWAITING WHISTLE TO SEND THEM INTO SCRIMMAGE



BROOKLYNS ARE PRIMED FOR CONTEST

The football team of the Brooklyn Club of San Francisco will show a great improvement over their showing in the game played with the Century team of Oakland, now champions of the state, when they were defeated by the score of 12 to 0.

Brooklyn will line up against the Century team in a return game Monday, December 26, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., at the Grove-street park, Fifty-seventh and Grove streets, when they will endeavor to lower the blue and white banners of the Centurys.

Since their defeat by Century the Brooklyn boys have been under the supervision of Pete Smith, the former star player, who has taken the Brooklyn lads under his wing and, from reports, he has great confidence in their ability to make a showing against the fast Century champions.

He has almost entirely changed the Brooklyn line-up adapting his players to their positions. Van Acker, former coach of Brooklyn and varsity star, has been placed at fullback, and in several of their games since Thanksgiving he has proved a tower of strength to his team and they will depend greatly on him in the Christmas game with Century.

The Century boys have no misgivings as to the result of this game, merely considering it a good practice game, but confidence sometimes proves a team's undoing.

The management reports everything in splendid shape at the Grove-street grounds.

The Centurys have a special brass band to contribute to the spirit of the game, while the Brooklyns will journey from San Francisco to the Grove-street park in Oakland with a rival "noise-maker" and a strong following of 500 adherents who promise to "put over" a few special rooting features for the edification of the football fans.

This is the last game the Centurys will be seen in before they journey to Vallejo.

The Century Club has chartered a special boat, which will leave Oakland and San Francisco the morning of January 2, picking up those who wish to attend the Vallejo game from both points.

S.A.S. Team Wins At Basket Ball

The S. A. S. of Fruitvale scored its first victory against the Gamma Phi basketball team of Fruitvale at the latter's courts Tuesday night in a well-played and exciting game. The S. A. S. finished the first half with a goal to their favor. In the second half the Gamma Phi team tied and passed the S. A. S by four points up to the last few minutes of the game, when the S. A. S. came back at their opponents and by clever passing and a neat goal made by B. Collins nosed out the Gamma Phi Quintet by the score of 13 to 11.

The S. A. S have next Tuesday night open and would like to hear from fast 112 to 115-pound teams. Address R. Waldear, manager, 1031 Bassett street, Fruitvale.

Boxer Breaks Arm And Loses Battle

JOPLIN, Mo., Dec. 23.—Clarence English of Omaha knocked out "Kid" Farmer of Chicago in the third round of a scheduled ten-round bout before the Business Men's Athletic Club here last night. Farmer broke his left hand in the first round. The men fought at 142 pounds.

Wrestler Thrown And Badly Injured

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 23.—Kara Osmun, a Turkish wrestler, was rendered unconscious last night by being thrown over the head of his opponent, Charles Olsen, after fifty minutes of wrestling. Osmun was revived in an hour. He is seriously hurt, but his injury is not expected to prove fatal. Olsen is from Indianapolis.

FEW SUGGESTIONS FOR SANTA CLAUS

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HARRY WOLVERTON—Plenty of ginger for next season and no more suspensions.

BROADWAYS CAPTURE RELAY POOL CONTEST

The final night's play in the relay pool tourney took place at the Oakland billiard parlor on Thirteenth street last night.

The previous play aroused great interest, and a large crowd was on hand to root for the opposing teams.

Incidentally the Broadways, the favorites, won the match by a considerable margin.

Their lead of 88 balls, established on the preceding play, imbued them with great confidence and they showed up considerably stronger than their opponents.

The first relay, between Roberts and Reeder, proved the only real contest of the evening. Reeder profited by his experience of the evening before, and passed up alluring but doubtful combinations. They proved evenly matched and it was nip and tuck with them. Where one of the Rs would gain the advantage in one frame, the other was sure to reverse the going in the next, so they sawed back and forth, Roberts winning this relay by one point, 50 to 49.

Landis and Stanley succeeded them, and as on the first night's showing Landis proved much the stronger of the two, outplaying his man almost two to one and winning the second relay with a 50 to 27 score.

Landis shows wonderful improvement, and doubtless gained much valuable experience through constant association with Karns, whose great playing is an incentive to a student.

The Broadways' total now reads 250 to 188 for Thirteenth street, and with this lead the last relay between Karns and Donohue was but a case of marking time.

Karns was in his best form and duplicated the marvelous bank shot of the night before. One might expect to see such a shot once in a lifetime, but never twice in practically the same contest.

Joe did not exactly do that, but neither did he make a showing of his capabilities, as Karns' work was practically perfect and his defense or safety play was absolutely invulnerable. Karns running his allotted 50 balls, while the best Donohue could pocket was a total of 24.

Final score Broadway, 300, Thirteenth street, 208.

Although the score was lopsided, the contest as a whole was replete with good playing and made a delightful exhibition.

In the cushion billiard tourney the scheduled game was a contest between Pezet (27) vs. Mann (25).

This was one of the best games of the week, and aside from the first few innings was played off with rapidity. Pezet kept to his winning stride and stopped Mann from going beyond the 20 mark. Pezet's high run was only 3, but he counted early, often finishing 27 to Mann's 20.

Hackenschmidt Throws Italian

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 23.—George Hackenschmidt, the Russian wrestler, won in straight falls last night from Alberto Mandino, the Italian giant. The first fall came after ten minutes and the second in half that time.

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BOWLERS GET READY FOR TOURNEY

Bowlers are getting active during this week. At the Oakland bowling alleys in Thirteenth street the last days of the old year they are taking advantage of practice games, that they may be in good trim to take part in the match games in ten and duck pins after the holidays.

Yesterday a few undertook to benefit by indulging in slight exercise, with the result that they have largely increased their original form.

Gallhovey and Olson played three games of duck pins and put up a strong fight for the honors. After an enthusiastic game the former came out winner by 36 pins. Gellhovey rolled 100-115-94, Olson, 90-91-96. The former had an average of 103 and the latter maintained a 90.1 average.

Bassett and Skinner tried their skill in duck pins and, although they did not roll up to former style, derived a fairly good score. Bassett, 63-78-84, Skinner, 68-80-84.

Cosgrove and Luderman, substitute members of the Auditorium duck pin team, took up practice. Judging from the showing they made, they will become a strong factor in the future. They rolled three lively games in all, with the following scores: Cosgrove, 95-94-82, Luderman, 82-85-84.

Ten pin bowlers are getting active and last night Fox, Gross and McDonald came in for a little exercise. All three are good bowlers and have made good scores, capturing many tournament prizes in past seasons. They showed some class in making very difficult scores, as follows:

Fox, 148-174-176-148-182. Gruss, 140-205-157-180-151. McDonald, 158-157-162-209-180.

McDonald and Gross rolled in good form and Fox has greatly improved.

A ten-week bowling tournament for valuable prizes will commence in San Francisco January 9, 1911, and, from present indications, promises to be a success. The entries at this time are heavy and many bowlers from this side of the bay who roll high scores will participate in the event.

A very interesting match was pulled off in Herold's Ninth-street alleys between Gibson and McNicol and Brown and Marty. The latter won by nine pins. Three games were bowled. Brown bowled a fine game and showed that he was fast rounding to form.

H. Dixon and J. Witherow indulged in a few games of ducks, the first in several years. They showed that they could come back, and Dixon bowled a high score of 121 and Witherow 101.

The Oaks held a practice roll and showed some speed. They got a bad start in the San Francisco Bowling Association, but are fast coming to the front, led by the crack Eugene Club and the Bergers. The Oaks won last winter's championship in the Western Bowling Congress.

Harrington of the Business Men's Duck Pin Club indulged in a few practice games and did nicely. He is giving Williamson and Wood a close race.

The German Club held its weekly roll. A Dutch lunch was given. Some good scores were made, as follows:

M. Winter, 174-167-198, A. Hergers, 181-176-170; G. Heincer, 204-181-180; J. Feucht, 209-201-188; A. Schwab, 188-176-189.

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EDDIE DALE CAPTURES HANDICAP

Colt Is Ably Ridden by Garner and Beats Good Field

Eddie Dale, light weighted and ably ridden by Garner, won the Charmion handicap, the main event of the racing card at the Oakland track yesterday afternoon, and by earning the brackets demonstrated that he can give any of the two-year-olds hereabouts a run at this distance. Running behind his field all through the early part, Garner sent the Eddie Jones colt to the front gradually and shaking off the tiring pacemakers, drew away, winning easily. Jest also ran a smashing good race and was going great guns at the end. Jim Basey, the conceded crack of the two-year-old division, found the 126 pounds allotted him a bit burdensome and was forced to be content with third place. Pay Streak and Pawhuska started out to make a run-away race of it and after leading their field at a fast clip to the far turn, blew up badly. The talent feared the weight would mar Basey's chances so Jest was sent to the post favorite. Eddie Dale, owing to having Garner up, was heavily played at 4 to 1 and 7 to 2.

Form players were off to a bad break when Frank G. Hogan breezed home in the curtain-raiser. Scoville got him away on his toes and tiptoed his field from barrier to wire. He received quite a play by those in the know at post time. In a hard drive Gramercy outgamed Sir Fretful for second position.

Two old campaigners, Military Man and Boggs locked horns in the second race, which was over the seven-furlong course, and after the hardest kind of a struggle all through the stretch Military Man lasted long enough to nod in. Boggs held on tenaciously and was six lengths in

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NOTICE

AMATEUR BASEBALL NEWS WANTED.

THE TRIBUNE will devote particular attention to amateur baseball games with a view to printing the scores and all other news pertaining to them. To that end the sporting department of this paper solicits all matter of this character. News relating to boys' and young men's clubs, such as challenges, requests for games, schedules of games, dates of games, score results, line-ups or any notes on the subject will be given attention. Boys' teams are requested to send in any item of local interest.

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Governor Silent On Boxing Game

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—"I have not heard anything since I left, and I have nothing to say," was the reply of Governor Jared Y. Sanders yesterday when asked if he had anything to say relative to the action of Lieutenant Governor Paul Lambremont in stopping prize fighting and cock fighting in the state.

Governor Sanders has been in Washington.

The fact that the governor had nothing to say has cast a gloom over fight followers.

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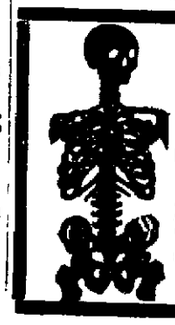
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SOLONS WILL MEET FOR NEEDS OF COUNTY

Representaives in Legislature Will Discuss Matters With Supervisors.

SESSION TAKES PLACE IN STETSON'S OFFICE

One of Subjects Will Be That of Another Superior Judge.

There will be a meeting tonight in the office of State Senator Stetson in the Oakland Bank of Savings of the legislative delegation from Alameda county to discuss a number of matters which will probably come up before the Legislature affecting affairs in this county.

The delegation has invited the Board of Supervisors to be present to set forth certain ideas which they wish to have incorporated into legislation. One of these ideas is the initiative in the matter of building a conduit under the estuary at Webster street to bring Oakland and Alameda more closely together. It is considered desirable that some empowering act be passed by the Legislature enabling the supervisors to take steps to obtain by borings, a knowledge of the soil underlying the street in question to ascertain what difficulties might be met with.

There has also been suggested the idea of increasing the fees of jurors while attending trials in the Superior Court from two to three dollars per day. There also will be discussed several matters in connection with the juvenile court, especially the obtaining of another judge for the Superior Court of Alameda county thus increasing the number of jurists from six to seven.

It is likely, however, that there will be no action taken at this time for the reason that the judges are inclined to allow some time to pass to enable the workings of the new amendment to the constitution, which was adopted at the last election, to be made manifest. Under that amendment it will be possible for the judges of the Superior Court to have here almost continuously a judge from some other county trying cases which originate in this county.

DIRECT LINE SURE OAKLAND-ST. LOUIS

Western Pacific Traffic Manager Declares Project Will Be Realized April 1.

That there will be through communication between Oakland, Chicago and St Louis by April 1 is the statement made by E. L. Lomax, traffic manager of the Western Pacific railroad.

Lomax has just returned from Chicago where he had been for two months, concluding several important traffic negotiations. He states that an agreement has been entered into between the Western Pacific and the Burlington, a Hill road, which assures the direct communication between the points mentioned. The transcontinental progress of the Western Pacific will be aided by the Missouri Pacific into St. Louis and the Burlington system into Chicago.

Arrangements were also perfected with the Pacific Coast Steamship company and the Alaska Pacific company, by which passengers via the Western Pacific will be sent to Los Angeles and Seattle. Negotiations are pending for an interchange of business with the Pacific Navigation company.

Lomax stated that he was not aware that the Western Pacific proposed to extend its lines to Los Angeles and also said that he knew nothing concerning the entry of the Hill system into California through the Des Chutes canyon.

TWO FIRMS RIVAL FOR SCHOOL WORK

Alameda Board of Education Meets Tonight to Consider Washington Bids.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—Bids for the new Washington school were opened by the board of education last night. Two bids were made, one by the Whalin Bros company, Oakland, $29,850, the other by Clanck & Bros., San Francisco, $29,200.

The latter firm was awarded the contract for painting and brickwork, and probably will receive the school contract. The board will meet again tonight to consider the bids.

FURTHER ARRESTS IN OIL SWINDLE

Treasurer of Cleveland Company Caught at Bakersfield; Placed Under Bond.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Thomas M. Montgomery, treasurer of the Cleveland Oil Company, raided by the federal authorities here this week, was brought to this city today by Deputy United States Marshal Franklin, from Bakersfield, where he was arrested on the charge of using the mail in a scheme to defraud.

Montgomery was arraigned before United States Commissioner Van Dyke and furnished $5,000 bond to appear for examination December 30, the same date set for the examination of Gillett and Batcheider, arrested on similar charges.

MAY BE A SUICIDE.

SAN JOSE, December 23. — Charles Kernan, a baker believed to have been from San Francisco, was found dead in a lodging house on South Second street this morning. Death appears to have been caused by chloroform.

BUSINESS MEN TO UNITE IN MAYORALTY CAMPAIGN

Merchants Are Lining Up to Obtain Good Government; Want Executive of Experience; Sentiment for Mott Growing

There is a movement on foot among business men of the city to organize for the coming campaign, and especially in the matter of the mayoralty and good government.

At the present time the movement consists in the holding of meetings between some of the leading merchants, manufacturers and labor union men, devising ways and means of bringing together all the people who are interested in the welfare of the city, regardless of political affiliation, with a view to making a concerted move in favor of securing the best man for mayor, because without a practical, experienced and progressive man in the mayoralty office, many of the benefits of the commission form of government would be beyond reach. There would be dissatisfaction among the people and hence, the agitation which follows disappointment.

MANY SUPPORTED LOSERS.

Many of the people in this movement supported defeated candidates for the mayoralty in the last campaign, after spending money which they had subscribed for the furtherance of the defeated men. They have now come to the conclusion that, while there were some reasons for supporting the candidates they then favored, there is no more reason now why they should not transfer their affections and support to a man who has done a great many things for this city, and who has consequently something more than theories to recommend him in the future.

These merchants, manufacturers and artisan have decided to say that Mayor Mott is the only candidate for the mayoralty who is deserving of their vote. They have also decided to swell the number of his honor's supporters so that the election of the next chief magistrate of this city will be practically unanimous.

WILL HAVE TELLING EFFECT.

They say further that this will have a telling effect upon the financiers abroad with whom this city is doing business, and that it will inspire confidence and public spirit at home that will be of the most beneficial character.

As day by day goes by, the sentiment in favor of Mayor Mott increases so that in many sections the opinion obtains that there will be no person who will hope of making anything like a showing against him.

County Recorder-elect G. W. Bacon has not yet announced the deputies whom he will have to assist him in his office during the next four years, but there are rumors around which those who are circulating them declare are well founded, a fact which developments will later prove.

It is said that the chief deputyship has been placed at the disposal of B. B. Booth, who was formerly connected with the office. Mr. Booth was the only deputy of the late Mr. Grim whose services were dispensed with when the duties of the office were assumed by the present incumbent, John W. Mott.

MAY DECLINE TO ACCEPT.

Booth had served under Grim for a number of years. He was connected with the Oakland Traction Consolidated or, rather, the Grove street line, when Grim was superintendent of the service. In the event that Booth declines to accept the chief deputyship, it is intimated that he will be given another berth which at present is not designated by a special name.

Another deputy in this office who it is said has a good chance of being retained in his present position is Charles Gregory, who has been serving as indexing clerk. Gregory has been in the place for some time and the rumor affecting him and Booth has a disquieting effect upon the other forty-odd deputies and copyists who are awaiting the uncertainty as to what will be their fate when Recorder Bacon finally makes his announcements of those who are to go, those who are to take their places and those who are to remain.

TETRAZZINI BRINGS JOY TO WORSHIPING AUDIENCE

Remarkable Voice of Great Diva Enchants Hundreds Who Hear Her at Local Theater

Madame Luisa Tetrazzini, who bears the unchallenged distinction of being one of the sweetest singers in the world, and whose personality is as charming and impelling as her remarkable voice, enchanted throngs of music lovers from Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley last night at "Ye Liberty theater." She was greeted by a capacity audience, even more enraptured, if that were possible, than the hundreds who heard her December 15.

The great diva was gowned in a wonderful creation of light green satin, heavily marked with an over-dress girdle, dazzling and sparkling in dark blue bead work. Before she could sing her note a storm of almost worshipful applause reverberated through the playhouse, awakening every echo and giving her probably one of the greatest ovations ever received.

Following the opening overture, "The Merry Wives of Windsor" (Nicolai) by Paul Steindorff's orchestra, Tetrazzini gave as her first selection the aria, "Ah Fors e Lui," from Verdi's "Traviata," which she sang in San Francisco Saturday night. It was a fitting opening for the selections which followed, difficult in its technique and amazing in altitudes. The ease and grace with which the singer allowed her exquisite voice to play with the difficult tones were a source of wonder.

For her second selection Tetrazzini gave the aria "Bel Raggio" from Semiramide and for her encore Lotti's "Pur Di Certi." Here, too, her playfulness and matchless case were noticeable.

At the conclusion of each selection the applause was deafening, though no vulgar oral displays, and encores were vociferously demanded.

In the audience were white-headed men and women whose enthusiastic appreciation of Tetrazzini's voice exceeded the ovation given Patti years ago, and to these, it seemed the voice of the enchanting Luisa gave them a new lease on life.

The enthusiastic and stormy applause reaching its climax, however, after Tetrazzini's final number, the brilliant "Polacca" from Mignon. As the series of trills ended in a round and full bell-like note so true and pure as to seem almost impossible, the audience went wild in its delight and enthusiasm. They were not to be appeased by the diva's numerous returns to the footlights, her smiles and sparkling enhanced by the exquisite gown she wore, but clamored for an encore, which was finally given.

Frederick Hastings, the baritone assisting Mme. Tetrazzini, gave some beautiful selections, creating somewhat of a furore on his own account. His selections were extremely gratifying. His "Why do the Nations," from the "Messiah" by Handel, and "Young Dietrich" by Henschel, were well sung and brought forth loud applause. He gave as his encore "Protestant."

The open air concert to be given by Tetrazzini in San Francisco New Year's eve was discussed at the Bohemian Club and a suggestion made that everyone bring flowers, simple little garden flowers, such as roses, violets chrysanthemums and carnations, in exquisite contrast to the offerings in the East at this time. These flowers that bloom in California in December are to be showered at the feet of the diva, and will come from Alameda county, as well as San Francisco, for the gardens on this side are noted for their wonderful winter bloom.

The concert in front of Lotta's fountain at Third and Market streets, San Francisco, will be one of the most notable events in California. The diva in her unconscious and unaffected kindness of heart, coupled with her love for San Francisco and Oakland, and its people, have prompted her to do this most unusual thing, so that those unable to hear her, not only through lack of money, but from an inability to secure seats, may have an opportunity to bask in the sunlight of her rich voice.

And the flowers are to be showered at her feet in fitting appreciation of her novel entertainment.

Beginning promptly at 7:45 o'clock an augmented choir, including the choristers from the Cathedral Mission of the Good Samaritan of San Francisco, will sing the Christmas carols. There will be also an orchestra or band, which ever instrument will be most suitable.

Tetrazzini will be accompanied by Pianist Benoist and a grand piano will be used.

The platforms are to be extended into Market street so that Tetrazzini may be heard as far as possible. She is to start singing at 8:30 o'clock. The trolley cars are to be stopped.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The ladies of Sans Souci Parlor, No. 96, of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, will present to Tetrazzini today at the Palace Hotel a handsome gold souvenir spoon as a token of appreciation. The committee appointed to make the presentation is composed of the following ladies: Mrs. M. H. Dobbins, Miss May Hayes, Mrs. Fanny Nightengale, Mrs. Ida Cordy and Mrs. Madge Matino. The committee desires to have it understood that their motive in presenting the souvenir is not inspired so much on account of Tetrazzini's fame as a diva for that, they say, is too well recognized, but because of Tetrazzini's love for San Francisco, and its beautiful expression in her promise to gratify and delight the thousands of people of the city by singing on Christmas eve in the open air on Market street. This they hold to be the greatest of services to the city.

C. L. CONNER DEAD; LEADING PIONEER

Banker and Builder and Prominent for Many Years in State's Enterprises.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 23.—C. L. Conner, president of the Kern Valley bank, pioneer of Kern county, and for 36 years a superintendent for the Kern County Land company, died suddenly at his home at Greenfields at 12 o'clock last night from heart trouble.

Conner was a native of Alabama. He was 61 years old, and came to Kern county in 1874. For 36 years he took a prominent part in the county's social, business and political life.

MANUFACTURER DIES.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 23. — William Resor, known throughout the country as a stove manufacturer, died here last night. He was 75 years old.

KILLED BY HIGH VOLTAGE.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23. — Walter Strong 19 years old, was killed by a high-voltage wire in a power-house where he was working today.

BURGLARS CARRY OFF FAMILY PLATE

Home of Alameda Resident Is Ransacked by Thieves, Who Escape.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—The home of W. S. de Tierris, 1510 Benton street, was entered last night in the absence of the family and silverware to the value of $100 taken. The burglars forced the lock on the front door and ransacked the house, leaving nothing of value behind.

The bureau drawers were taken out and emptied on the floor. The burglary was reported to the police, but so far no trace of the thieves has been found.

The burglars were evidently after the valuable diamonds of Mrs. de Tierris, but she had locked her jewels up in a safe deposit box a few days ago.

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SAVES ADOPTED SISTER'S LIFE

Woman Finds Missing Relative in Hotel Just After Swallowing Poison.

Like a page from a fiction masterpiece is the story of Margaret Marlen, a comely Oakland girl living at No. 468 Eighth street, and her adopted sister, Ruby Marlen. For months they have been separated, owing to the infatuation Ruby had for an unknown suitor who is only known as Harry, owing to her desire to protect him from any harm.

This morning Margaret found Ruby in the Hotel Argo, Eighth and Mission streets, San Francisco, just as she, discouraged and believing herself forsaken by the man for whom she had given up honor and her family, had taken a dose of carbolic acid in the hope of death ending all her troubles.

SAVES SISTER'S LIFE.

"Ruby!" cried Margaret, as her repeated knocks were answered, "is it old honey, why did you hide yourself from me?"

It was then she noticed the burned lips of her sister and learned of her attempted suicide. Without waiting for further explanation she called the hotel people and in a short time surgeons at the Emergency Hospital pronounced the girl out of danger and this afternoon the reunited sisters are to take up a new life.

The two girls were adopted and raised by a family in Kentucky and on the death of their foster parents came west to make their home. Their life was a struggle but the bonds between them kept them fighting and happy until Ruby met and became infatuated with a man whom she will only call "Harry."

It was the old, old story, she told Margaret in the ward of the hospital this morning. She pinned her faith and placed her honor in the handsome youth who, in time, tired of her. Pride kept her from confiding in her sister, and shame led her to follow the man to San Francisco and keep her whereabouts unknown to her sister. Then came the desertion, and ashamed now to even seek the comfort of the deserted sister, she bought the poison and tried to end her life.

HAD ONLY FAINT CLEW.

Margaret's secret had lasted for months and it was only a faint clew that led her to San Francisco today and her appearance at the opportune time to save the life of the one who loved her best.

"His name is Harry," sobbed Ruby to Margaret, "and he is gone for good—let it all be a memory."

Even the hospital attaches, used as they are to sad and unusual scenes were moved by the sisters as they sat clasped in each other's arms sobbing out confidences and planning a new future.

EDDIE DALE TAKES HANDICAP

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front of Onatassa for the place. Court Lady had a slight call in the betting, but Garner did not seem able to get her started.

The talent and stable connections suffered an awful blow, and the "turkey" coin went glimmering, when Native Son failed to deliver the goods in the third race. He was backed down to 7 to 10 and, although he was close up all the way, he apparently tired chasing Combury, and had nothing left with which to stall off the final rush of Hannah Louise. The latter was best and when Gentry sent her to the front in the stretch she galloped by the leaders, winning in a romp. Biskra closed with a cyclonic burst of speed, nosing out the fast-driving Combury for the show.

Miami was the first choice of the day to reward the talent. Thomas had the mount on the Camden gelding and under a judicious ride got him to first place on the last turn, and won cleverly at the end. Sake was right there all the way and outgamed Treasure Seeker for the place.

CHRISTMAS HANDICAP BIG FEATURE EVENT

Handicapper Martin Nathenson late yesterday afternoon announced the weights and entries for the Christmas Handicap, at one and one-quarter miles, to be run Monday, December 26. Of the thirty odd eligibles, Bubbling Water has been assigned top weight of 126 pounds. In the opinion of the official handicapper, as with the general racing public, she figures pounds the best of anything around these parts, as she is scheduled to meet the cream of the handicap division in this big event. After the withdrawals, it can reasonably be conjectured that only about fifteen of the big list will remain to struggle for the prize. Following is the list of nominees and the weights allotted them:

Torbellino	105	Whidden	102
Star Actor	92	Chester Krum	110
Miami	90	Sir John	92
Zabra	85	Marigot	95
Laymaster	90	Duke of Ormond	95
Clutch	95	Spellbound	110
Clamor	105	Sea Cliff	102
Belleview	102	Pete	90
Belfast	88	Phil Mohr	90
Fulletta	103	Roman Wing	102
Starry Night	82	Sugo	115
Daddy Gip	98	Sterlingo	98
Eredonia	90	Stroller Fay	112
Endymion II	100	Elgin	97
Eulalia May	82	Chepontuc	100
Crex	84	Edwin T. Fryer	107
Binocular	90	Eddie Dale	90
Direct	104	Alareo	84
Rocky O'Brien	90	Northern Gold	92
Lady McNally	85	Marble M.	102
Bubbling Water	126	Arawee	106

DISTRICT ATTORNEY IS GIVEN DIAMOND RING

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—At a surprise luncheon at the Heidelberg this noon today District Attorney Charles M. Fickert was presented with a magnificent $300 diamond ring by the members of his staff. Fickert was kept in complete ignorance not only of the proposed gift but even of the luncheon itself and when he left his offices at 12 o'clock, as usual, he was seized by a crowd of his associates and escorted to the cafe, where a sumptuous repast was served.

The presentation speech was made by Assistant District Attorney E. A. Lane.

WOULD PREVENT WIFE USING HIS NAME

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Incensed at the unseemly epithets hurled at him by his spouse, and determined that she shall not be allowed to go any longer by his name, Frederick A. Katz in a suit for a divorce against Abbie Lucy Katz, makes that one of the provisions.

"The plaintiff prays the court that the defendant be prevented from any longer using his name," requests Katz, in addition to other minor petitions.

MEMBERS OF BAR TO BANQUET JURIST

Compliment for Retiring Presiding Justice James A. Cooper.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Arrangements are being made to tender to Presiding Justice Cooper of the district court of appeals of this district a banquet in recognition of his many years' service on the bench and as commissioner of the supreme court, and as a fitting greeting to him on his return to the practice of the law. It will be held at the Palace Hotel next Tuesday evening, December 27.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

The reception committee consists of Chief Justice Beatty, Judge Hall of the district court of appeals, Judges Seawell and Murasky of the superior court, and Attorneys Jesse W. Lilienthal, Frank J. Deering, W. S. Goodfellow, Garret W. McEnerney, Curtis H. Lindley, Chas. S. Wheeler, Walter H. Linforth, Charles Page, Frank H. Powers and Charles W. Slack.

Many of Judge Cooper's warm friends and well wishers have signified their intention of assembling on this occasion to do him honor, among them being all the judges of the supreme court, many of the judges of the appellate and superior benches, and numerous well-known attorneys. The event is arousing more than local interest, Judge Cooper's friends being found in all parts of the ten counties comprising the First appellate district.

INVITATIONS ACCEPTED.

Among those who have accepted to date are:

J. M. Allan	George A. Knight
John J. Barrett	Frank H. Kerrigan
L. S. Beedy	J. Lanigan
P. A. Bergerot	J. J. Lerman
W. M. Bosley	C. H. Lindley
W. J. Brobeck	Thomas J. Lennon
J. Brown	Maxwell McNutt
W. P. Cauha	J. C. Meyerstein
J. G. Cauha	A. F. Morrison
Carrol Cook	Leon Morris
C. W. Cross	C. J. Muller
S. Cushing	C. D. Peixotto
B. A. Cauha	C. D. Pillsbury
J. V. DeLavega	H. A. Powell
F. A. Denkke	W. C. Sharpstein
A. P. Dessouslavy	Samuel M. Shortridge
T. W. Dorsey	Charles W. Slack
F. C. Drew	A. Smith
Henry Eckhoff	Frank K. Wehe
C. H. Farrell	William Thomas
W. S. Goodfellow	W. E. Tucker
A. Gherini	L. B. Weinmann
Charles A. Gray	C. E. Wilson
Ralph C. Harrison	B. J. Wise
Charles J. Heggerty	A. L. Meyerstein
L. S. Heller	Garret W. McEnerney
Samuel P. Hall	Jarin McNab
Frank V. Kessling	J. Downey Harvey
Alexander D. Keith	Dr. T. W. Huntington

All the judges of the Supreme Court and many of the Superior Court judges have also accepted.

Y. M. C. A. GOES FAR FROM HOME TO BUY

EDITOR TRIBUNE: A worthy and well worded quotation invented by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, "Every Dollar Expended in Your Home City Adds to the Wealth of that Community; Increases the Value of Your Holdings. Don't You Owe it to Yourself to Trade at Home." Pause and consider that last line. "Trade at Home," how much that means to a manufacturer striving to get his product on the home market, assisting in every way to enlarge the industries of the community. The manufacturer in particular should be placed on an elevated pedestal, as it is he who spends his capital and gives employment to many, this assisting the commercial city. The city of Oakland contains three or four top mattress factories which are endeavoring to compete with eastern factories, and now when home industry is at its height, the local market must experience the dreadful calamity of seeing top mattresses brought from Texas to furnish the Young Men's Christian Association building. Consider also that the Young Men's Christian Association was all obtained through public subscription. Wouldn't that shatter your strong hold in Patronize Home Industry.

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GEN. BONILLA AND FRIENDS DISAPPEAR

Former President of Honduras May Be Waiting Arrival of Hornet.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23. — Coincidentally with the departure late yesterday of the steamer Hornet, General Manuel Bonilla, former president of Honduras; General Lee Christmas, soldier of fortune, and one of the leaders of the alleged revolutionary expedition against President Davilla of Honduras, and several Americans who have seen service in Central America waters disappeared from this city.

That the Hornet took on arms and ammunition after sailing from this port and that she is planning an attack on one of the gulf ports of Honduras will be reported to the State Department today by the Honduran minister, with a request that this country intercept the alleged filibuster, it was announced here.

Yesterday, for some unknown reasons, the long distance telephone between this city and Port Eads, at the mouth of the Mississippi river ceased working about the time the Hornet sailed.

MRS. BOYNTON TO WEAVE GARMENTS

Setting Up Loom in Alameda Home and Will Make Grecian Gowns.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Charles C. Boynton, a well-known advocate of fresh-air living and the Grecian style of dress for women, is now busily engaged setting up a cloth loom at her home on Santa Clara avenue near Walnut street. Mrs. Boynton declares that on this loom she will make all the cloth necessary to clothe her children and herself.

The first cloth to be turned out will be a ne wweave which she says will be particularly adaptable for the mode of dress which she advocates

Mrs. Boynton says that in placing this loom in her home she has done so to teach her children the value of cloth and not to be extravagant in its use. Her daughters, she says, will continue to wear the same kind of clothes which she now wears and which she is advocating for the American woman.

FIGHT ON AMONG JERSEY DEMOCRATS

Governor-Elect Wilson Starts Ball Rolling and Gets Loyal Support From Friends.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 23.—Governor-elect Wilson has made a successful breach in the ranks of James Smith Jr., candidate for United States senator against J. E. Martine, choice of the Democratic party primaries. The breach came today in the announcement by James P. Mylod, member of the Essex county delegation to the state assembly, that he would not vote for Smith.

Mylod was one of the signers of the invitation to Smith to become a candidate for the senatorship.

WOMEN WANT LAW AGAINST TREATING

BERKELEY, Dec. 23. — Berkeley Women's Christian Temperance Union has referred to Mrs. Sturtevant Peet, general superintendent of legislation for the W. C. T. U., a proposed anti-treating measure which the local women desire to have passed at the next session of the legislature. They declare the treating habit is responsible for much drunkenness.

Mrs. J. O. Davis, the Berkeley superintendent of legislation, has written for a copy of the Oregon anti-treating law. The proposed California measure was discussed at the meeting of the Berkeley W. C. T. U. Wednesday.

The organization also voted $25 toward the purchase of a painting from Artist Kooreman, a destitute Russian, to be presented to the Berkeley Young Men's Christian Association, for use in its new building.

A public New Year's reception will be held by the local union in the Coffee Club in Oxford street Monday, January 2, from 2 to 3 o'clock and from 8 to 10. Mrs. C. O. Southard is chairman of the committee in charge of the reception.

$60,776 ESTATE LEFT BY LONDON SUICIDE

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Dec. 23.—A check for $440 has just been turned over to the representative of the state controller here as inheritance tax on the estate of Mrs. Mary Agnes Ruiz, who committed suicide in London, Eng., May 16, 1960. She spent considerable of her time previous to going to London at her country estate at Rye, N. Y.

The total value of the estate she left, as shown by the appraisal, is $60,776. She had in the bank a balance of $1998, while the furniture she had at Rye was sold for $27,500. Property at her London home brought at a sale $31,278. She left no will, and her brothers, Charles L. O'Brien of St. Louis and Frank D. O'Brien of New York, inherit the estate.

WILL INSTALL MOGAN AS PRESIDING JUDGE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Superior Judge Mogan will be installed as presiding judge for the coming year early next month. He will succeed Judge J. J. Van Nostrand, and one of his first duties will be to select from 124 names furnished by his associates, a panel of thirty for the grand jury.

When the 19 members of the legal body are selected he will assume the supervision of them for the ensuing term.

WOOL MARKET

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—Wool—Unchanged; Territory and Westerns, 21@22c; fine mediums, 17@19c; fine, 12@13c.

VARIOUS FACTORS HELPS MARKET

Bulls in Wheat Pit Aided by Argentine Reports and Drouth.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Argentine shipments smaller than expected gave firmness to the wheat market today. Another bullish factor was absence of rain in Kansas and Oklahoma. On the other hand, receipts continued liberal and a decided increase of the visible supply total this week was indicated. General crop news, too, from the Argentine, Russia and Australia was firm. May opened at the start at 96¼c to 96½c, the same variation from last night as the market as a whole. An advance to 97¼@97⅜c followed.

Resting orders to sell on a slight advance caused a recession in corn. Weather interference with marketing was on the basis of initial firmness. May opened unchanged to a shade up at 47¾@47⅞c and fell to 47⅝c.

Offerings of oats were not large and accordingly prices showed a little strength. May started unchanged at 34⅛c, sold at 34⅛@34¼c, and reacted to 34⅛c.

Provisions eased off on account of a larger runs of hogs. First sales were unchanged to 10c lower, with May options at $18.70 to $18.72 for pork, $10.27½ to $1.30 for lard and $9.87½ for ribs.

The closing quotations were as follows:
Wheat—December, 92⅛c; May, 96¾@96c; July, 93⅝@93½c.
Corn—December, 46c; May, 47⅝@48c; July, 48⅝c; September, 49⅜c.
Oats—December, 31⅛@31⅜c; May, 34⅛@34¼c; July, 34¼c.
Pork—January, $19.85; May, $18.65.
Lard—January, $10.70; May, $10.25.
Ribs—January, $10.52½@10.55; May, $9.85.
Rye—Cash, 80¼c.
Barley—Cash, 60@84c.
Timothy—Cash, $6@9.75.
Clover—Cash, $10@14.25.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—The Inter Ocean says: Insufficiency of the southwestern rains was given by wheat traders last night as the reason for the advance. It was said that local shorts had covered and the bull interest had increased their holdings and that the crowd had more wheat at the close than they had Wednesday night and went home with fair lines of long wheat. One of the close observers said that the market acted weak at the close and considerable long wheat had come out on the bulge above 96c, as all the northwestern houses also had wheat to sell. Walter Fitch said that the action of the market for the time being would be governed largely by the weather in the winter wheat belt and the general belief in the prevailing drought will make purchases advisable on breaks. Gossip on corn was that the buying of half a million bushels by Rosenbaum at the start was on foreign orders for traders who have recently been short but who had covered and taken the long side on drought reports from Argentine. A few local traders said that the market acted as if it was water-logged on the bear side. Reports from Illinois said that offerings from farmers have decreased, but there is a large quantity of corn in transit. The pit shortage has been reduced and today's position on the part of the country was to sell corn on the bulges.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 23.—Broomhall says: The wheat market opened steady and unchanged and continued very dull during the entire session. There was some disposition shown to support the market and the undertone held firm. There were firmer La Plate offers and some improvement in the inquiry for parcels, lighter Argentine shipments and predictions of lighter world's shipments this week. These, however, were offset by the continued favorable harvesting returns and the favorable weather in Argentine and continued liberal Australian offers, with Russian crop advices very favorable. At midday the market was steady and unchanged to ⅛d higher than yesterday. The corn market featureless and neglected.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE—OIL.

Morning Session, Friday, December 23.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Alma	..	1.00	Nev Midway	..	17
Am Pet com.	..	62.00	New Pa Pet.	..	52
Amy	55	..	Occidental	15	..
Apollo	07	10	Pac States Pt	50	..
Asso Oil	47.75	48.00	Paraffine	70	75
Blue Moon	..	10	Palmer	1 62	1 65
Brookshire	..	1.30	Peerless	..	4 50
Cal Standard	..	25	Piedmont	..	15
Caribou	1.20	1 27	Pinal	..	6 25
Claremont	1.22	..	Premier	72	78
Coal Cent	..	40	Record	4.25	5.00
Coal Mohwk	1.10	..	Republic	46	49
Coal Natl	20	..	S F & McK	10.60	..
Cons Midway	18	20	Sauer Dough	..	2.00
De Luxe	1.30	..	Section 25	25.00	..
Dominion	..	80	Sesnon	8.00	..
Empire	..	2.75	Shawmut	..	50
Enos	68	60	Silver Tip	..	1.50
Fulton	..	1.25	S W & B	35	38
Gypsy	..	45	Sterling	2.00	2.25
Ill Crude	23	..	Superior	12	15
Junction	20	26	Turner	1 00	1.25
Maricopa Ntl	23	..	United Oil	70	..
Maricopa 36	..	8.00	Wolverine	40	..
Mascot	2.00	..	W K Oil Co	2.50	..
McKittrick	..	15	Yellowstone	..	32
Monte Cristo	2.40	2.55	Storage ctfs	34	35
Nev County	10	..			

SALES.

25 Assoc Oil	48.87½	100 Coal Mohwk	1.10
50 Do	48.87½	100 Enos	68
10 Do	48.00	200 Do	68
100 Do, b30	48.25	100 Palmer	1.65
10 Do	48.00	100 Premier	73
20 Do	48.00	200 Do	73
10 Do	48.00	100 W K Oil Co	2.50
10 Do	48.00	200 Do	2.50
75 Do	48.00	200 Do	2.50
50 Do	48.00	Street sale—	
50 Do, b30	48.25	100 Caribou	1.27½
200 Claremont	1.25		

AFTERNOON SALES—DEC. 23.

80 Caribou	1.25
300 Coalinga Mohawk	1.10
1000 Consolidated Midway	.19
2100 Palmer	1.65
1000 Do B 60	1.67½

STREET SALES.

10 Associated Oil Stock	47.87½
100 Coalinga Mohawk	1.10
100 Premier	.72

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 37c; seconds, 29c; fancy dairy, 28c.
Eggs—Store, 35c; fancy ranch, 37c.
Cheese—New, 15@17c; Young Americas, 16@17c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 28@29c; dairies, 21@25c.
Eggs—Receipts, 1418 cases; steady at mark (cases included), 19½@22½c; firsts, 29c; prime firsts, 31c.
Cheese—Steady; Daisies, 15@15¼c; Twins, 14@14½c; Young Americas, 15¼@15½c; Long Horns, 15@15¼c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Butter—Steady, unchanged.
Cheese, unchanged.
Eggs—Easy; State Pennsylvania and nearby hennery, brown, fancy, 40@41c; do gathered brown, 37@39c; fresh gathered extra firsts, 35@36c, firsts, 33@34c; seconds, 28@32c.

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—American stocks in London heavy, ⅛ to ⅜ below parity.
Chicago stock yards fire does upward of $1,000,000 damage, with losses of over thirty lives.
Mauretania completed record round trip last night.
London expects easier money and lower bank rate early in January.
Independents still shading steel prices.
General market in London quiet and inactive, with some improvement in consols.
Wage reductions expected in steel trade.
Demand for copper still too small to make any considerable impression on surplus.
Twelve industrials declined .52; twenty active railroads declined .45.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated at 3000; market, weak, 25c lower than Wednesday; beeves, $4.50@7.25; Texas steers, $4.10@5.25; Western steers, $4@5.90; stockers and feeders, $3.40@5.75; cows and heifers, $2.40@5.15; calves, $7.15@9.35.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 22,000; market, 5c to 10c lower than yesterday's best; light, $7.50@7.90; mixed, $7.55@7.90; heavy, $7.50@7.80; rough, $7.50@7.65; good to choice heavy, $7.65@7.90; pigs, $7.10@7.80; bulk of sales, $7.70@7.85.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 12,000; market, dull, 25c to 50c lower than Wednesday; native, $2.40@4.15; Western, $2.75@4.10; yearlings, $4.50@5.60. Lambs—Native, $4.25@6.25; Western, $4.75@6.25.

COPPER MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Copper—Standard, dull; spot and January, 12.15@12.25c.
Lead—Dull, 4.45@4.55c, New York.
Bar silver, 53¾c.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 23.—Close: Wheat—December, 6s 10⅛d; March, 6s 11⅛d; May, 7s ⅛d. Weather, fine.

SLUGGISH MARKET IN WALL STREET

Preferred of United Railways Moves Up Six Points, But Other Securities Dull.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Fractional declines on a very light volume of business characterized the opening of the stock market today. Almost the only exception to the heavy tendency was United Railways preferred which was up 6 points. After an indifferent opening the market shaded a trifle, but the movement was so narrow that even the most skillful room traders found it difficult to scalp an eighth here and there.

American Beet Sugar came into further prominence, with a gain of a point.

Comparisons with yesterday's closing figures showed prices averaging a slight fraction lower with a few stocks monopolizing the business.

Bonds were steady.

The attendance on the floor shrank to the most confirmed regulars, these not being actively engaged in preparation for the Christmas celebration, closing business for the day. The few transactions made were without significance.

The market closed stagnant.

Bidding up of the local gas stocks constituted the only movement of consequence and even these were only sparingly dealt in. The market ended just where it left off yesterday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Gibson says: There is nothing in the market news worthy of comment. Changes in dividend rates or other specific items do not stimulate the movements. Look for a professional market for few days. Possibly some further decline, but would buy confidently on the breaks. Everything points to higher prices in January. Would buy wheat and corn on every little dip. Cotton is a sale at this level or on any advance of a few points.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—McClellan says: Changes in London mostly confined to small fractions and there is nothing in sight to change the situation here. There is some talk that the investment demand caused by January disbursements are apt to help prices. This may be true to some extent, but what we seem to need now is some improvement in the iron and steel situation. If this could be brought about the market would respond, but there does not seem to be much chance of this happening just at the present.

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Morning Session, Friday December 23.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
COMSTOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ophir	1.27½	..	Utah	..	03
Mexican	73	..	Utah Bull	..	08
Gould & Curry	18	..	Exchequer	07	08
Best & Belch	20	..	Seg Belcher	07	08
Con Virginia	80	..	Overman	..	30
Savage	10	..	Justice	03	05
Chollar	15	..	Union	27	28
Hale & Norc	12	..	Caledonia	28	30
Yellow Jacket	85	..	Silver Hill	..	03
Con Imperial	02	..	Challenge Con	09	..
Alpha	01	..	Occidental	41	..
Belcher	36	..	Andes	04	..
Confidence	45	..	Scorpion	03	..
Sierra Nevada	13	14			
TONOPAH.					
Tono of Nev	5.12½	..	Belmont	4.52½	..
Montana	81	..	North Star	.04	..
Tonopah Ex	..	09	West End	54	..
MacNamara	17	..	Rescue Consol	..	10
Midway	17	..	Jim Butler	25	..
GOLDFIELD.					
Gold Cons	8.50	..	Oro	05	..
Columbia Mt	..	03	Atlanta	13	..
Jumbo Ex	25	..	Great Bnd	01	..
Booth	08	..	Florence	1.35	..
Blue Bull	04	..	Com Fraction	18	..
Adams	..	01	Great Bend Ex	..	01
Silver Pick	05	..	Kewanas	06	..
Blue Bell	02	..	Crackerjack	..	02
St Ives	15	..	Red Hills	02	..
C O D	..	17	Yellow Tiger	..	07
Lone Star	02	..	Olaw Triangle	..	01
BULLFROG.					
Bonnie Clare	02	..	Montgomery Mt	..	01
Mayflower Cons	03	..	Tramp Cons	02	..
RAWHIDE.					
Coalition	..	04			
MANHATTAN.					
Manh Cons	02	..	Mustang Manh	04	..
Manh Dexter	05	..	Pine Nut	..	01
OTHER DISTRICTS.					
Nevada Hills	2.75	..	Eagles Nest	..	04
Pitts S Peak	60	..	Fairvw G Bldr	..	04

SALES.

1000 Mustang	04	200 Merger	8.50
100 Jumbo Ex	25	1000 Mustang	04

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 15.15c; do gulf, 15.10c. Sales, 6700 bales.

Futures closed steady. Closing bids: December, 14.81c; January, 14.84c; February, 14.99c; March, 15.16c; April, 15.26c; May, 15.34c; June and July, 15.36c; August, 15.03c; October, 13.07c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Cotton—Liverpool due 1 to 1½ higher. Opened unchanged at 12:15 p. m., barely steady, ½ to 1½ lower. Spots quiet and unchanged at 8.16d. Sales 7000 bales, including 6000 American.

Ports today estimated at 60,000 bales; last week, 71,944; last year, 41,844.

Later cables reported an advance of 1 point from 12:15 p. m. A low pressure area extended from the west gulf States northward to the Mississippi valley to Lake Superior last night with well defined center of disturbance off Northern Lake Superior and the Texas coast.

Arrivals of cotton at New York yesterday aggregated 5594 bales, including 3018 consigned, 516 for export and 2050 for Northern and New England mills.

Journal of Commerce says: One of the promising features in the cotton goods market is the requests made for prompt shipments of all January deliveries, due from the 1st to 13th of the month. The inference is that distributors have sold the goods they have on order and want deliveries made promptly so they can go out for further business.

New York Commercial says: There has been some disposition of late to view Great Britain's heavy importations with suspicion, as being largely speculative rather than in response to trade demands. This may be the case, but it must not be forgotten that general trade is excellent in the United Kingdom. The one thing settled thus far is that the United States has a crop of more than 11,000,000 bales. How much more remains open to dispute, but it is bound to be short of requirements unless the mills curtail drastically.

The quotations today were as follows:

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	14.87	14.87	14.83	14.83@14.84
February	15.00	15.00	15.00	14.99@15.01
March	15.18	15.18	15.13	15.15@15.16
April	..	..	..	15.25@15.27
May	15.36	15.36	15.32	15.34@15.37
June	..	..	..	15.30@15.38
July	15.37	15.38	15.35	15.36@15.37
August	15.02	15.04	14.99	15.03@15.01
October	13.05	13.08	13.05	13.07@13.09
December	14.86	14.86	14.81	14.81@14.83

Spots, 15.15c; middling uplands, unchanged.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—The quotations today were as follows:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.				
December	$ .91⅞	.92¼	.91⅜	.92⅛
May	.96⅛	.96⅛	.96⅛	.96⅛
July	.93½	.93½	.93⅜	.93⅜
CORN—PER BUSHEL.				
December	.45½	.46	.45½	.46
May	.47⅞	.48	.47¾	.47⅞
July	.48⅜	.49	.48⅝	.48⅝
September	.49⅜	.49⅜	.49⅜	.49⅜
OATS—PER BUSHEL.				
December	.31⅜	.31⅜	.31⅛	.31¼
May	.34⅛	.34¼	.34	.34⅛
September	....	....	....	.33⅛
PORK—PER BARREL				
January	19.87	19.85	19.75	19.85
May	18.27½	18.72½	18.60	18.65
LARD—PER 100 LBS.				
January	10.72½	10.72½	10.67½	10.70
May	10.27½	10.30	10.22½	10.25
SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.				
January	10.60	10.60	10.50	10.52½
May	9.87½	9.87½	9.85	9.85

DAILY MOVEMENT OF PRODUCE.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	13,300	12,000
Wheat, bushels	50,400	33,800
Corn, bushels	488,700	504,300
Oats, bushels	307,600	244,400
Rye bushels	5,000	1,100
Barley, bushels	139,500	77,800

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Money on call, steady, 3@3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3 per cent; closing bid, 3½ per cent; offered at 3½ per cent.
Time loans, dull; 60 and 90 days, 3¾@4 per cent; six months, 3¾@4 per cent.
Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent.
Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8250@4.8260 for 60-day bills and at $4.8540 for demand.
Commercial bills, $4.81¾@4.82¼.
Bar silver, 54⅛c.
Mexican dollars, 48c.
Bonds—Government and railroads, steady.

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Dec. 23.—Wheat—Club, 80@81c; bluestem, 82@83c; red Russian, 78c; valley, 80c; forty-fold, 81@82c.

EXPORT INCREASE SHOWN IN REPORT

Manufactured Commodities at Top of List; Other Figures.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—An increase in the exportation of manufactured commodities and a decrease in the exportation of foodstuffs last month is noted in figures compiled by the bureau of statistics and made public today. Flour, wheat, corn, hams and shoulders, bacon, fresh beef and live cattle show a marked decrease for November when compared with the like month and the eleven months ending with November of last year. The exports of corn show an increase for the eleven months ending with November, but for the month itself, a decrease is noted.

Manufactured articles, on the other hand, show, in practically all cases, increases. Lumber, agricultural implements, builders' hardware and tools and numerous other commodities show greater exports, both for the month of November and for the eleven months ending with that month, when compared with the corresponding periods of last year.

The total domestic exports for November, 1910, are valued at 204.1 millions of dollars, as compared with 191.7 millions for the same month last year. The exports for the eleven months ending with November, 1910, amounted to 1,60 .4 millions of dollars. For the corresponding eleven months of last year, the total domestic exports aggregated 1531 millions of dollars.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE.
J. C. Wilson, Stockbroker.

Morning Session, Friday, December 23.
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American River Elec Co 5s	94	..
Associated Oil Co 5s	87	..
City Electric Co 5s	80½	..
Contra Costa Water Co 5s	..	100½
Los Angeles Ry 6s	10[illegible]	..
L A Pacific R R of Cal 5s	97	100
Market St Cable 6s	102½	..
Do Ry 1st Con Mtg 5s	..	99
Natomas Consol of Cal 6s	8[illegible]	..
Northern Ry Co (of Cal) 5s	11[illegible]	..
Northern Cal Power Co 5s	..	100
Oakland Gas Light & H 5s	10[illegible]½	..
Pacific Electric Ry Co 5s	10[illegible]½	105
Pacific Light & Power (Gtd) 5s	10[illegible]	..
Peoples Water Co 5s	6[illegible]½	70
S.F. Oak & S J Ry 5s	9[illegible]½	94½
S P R R of Cal 6s (1912)	10[illegible]	..
S P Branch Ry of Cal 6s	12[illegible]½	..
S P R R Co 1st Ref 4s	..	96½
United Gas & Elec Co 5s	10[illegible]	..
United R R of S F 4s	6[illegible]¾	..
WATER STOCKS.		
Peoples Water Co pfd	3[illegible]½	..
Spring Valley Water Co	4[illegible]½	50½
GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS		
City Electric Co	..	62
Oro Water L & P Co	6[illegible]	64
INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Fireman's Fund	2[illegible]	260
BANK STOCKS.		
American National Bank	..	131
Bank of California N A	..	204
Central Trust Co of Cal	1[illegible]	..
SAVINGS BANKS		
Security Savings Bank	..	330
SUGAR STOCKS.		
Hawaiian Com & Sugar Co	[illegible]⅝	..
Honokaa Sugar Co	[illegible]0	11
Hutchinson Sugar Plant	4¾	[illegible]¼
Makaweli Sugar Co	2½	..
Onomea Sugar Co	4[illegible]	30
Paauhau S P Co	8¾	..
OIL STOCKS.		
Associated Oil Co	[illegible]7¾	48
Union Oil Co of California	..	101
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Alaska Packers' Assn	7[illegible]	..
California Wine Assn	0⅞	51½
Philippine Tel & Tel Corp	4[illegible]	26

MORNING SALES.

3000 Spring Valley Water Co 4s	90½
1000 S P Ref 4s	96⅝
4000 Peoples Water Co 5s	60½
1000 Oakland Water 5s	95
250 Associated Oil	47⅞
85 Do	47⅞
105 California Wine Assn	51
100 Hawaiian Sugar	33⅞
10 Bank of California	202
50 Hutchinson Sugar	15
200 Paauhau Sugar	18

AFTERNOON SALES—DEC. 23.

4000 Northern Railway Co of Cal 4	111½
1000 Peoples Water Co 5s	68⅛
200 Spring Valley Water Co	49⅝
15 Northern Cal Power Co Con	64
25 Fireman's Fund	255
40 Hawaiian Coml and Sugar	33½
125 Paauhau S P Co	18½
200 Associated Oil Co	48
10 Do	48½
50 California Wine Association	51¾
200 Pacific Tel and Tel common	43

ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up:

7751	Braxton	105
7758	Lady Adelaide	109
4142	Reene W	109
7747	Busy Man	109
7537	Passenger	105
(7446)	Swede Sam	109
7632	Tramotor	109
7729	Golf Ball	112
7739	Deneen	109
7739	Meada	109
7763	Jessup Burn	109
7694	Swagerlator	109

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up:

7673	Billy Myer	109
(7759)	Military Man	112
7673	Blacksheep	109
7747	Evran	109
(7685)	Belle of Iroquois	108
(7760)	Hannah Louise	109
7736	Emma G	108
7297	Waner	109
(7715)	Titus II	109
7736	Bambro	109
....	Joe Moser	109
7760	Biskra	109

THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up:

7737	Pride of Lismore	112
7713	Veneta Strome	111
7713	Big Stick	107
7711	Madeline Musgrave	105
7500	Good Intent	97
7760	Native Son	104
7737	Arionette	114
7737	*Terns Trick	97
7743	*Old Mexico	102
5237	Culiacan	103
(7735)	Lord of the Forest	106
(7711)	John H. Sheehan	109

FOURTH RACE—One mile, Salvator Handicap; all ages:

7749	Roy Junior	108
7748	Raleigh	109
7749	Arasee	107
7712	Black Mate	101
7761	Jim Basey	96

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; selling, 3-year-olds and up:

(7738)	Sepulveda	104
(7694)	Bonnie Bard	106
5682	Direct	113
7737	Greenbridge	109
7707	Elgin	104
(7747)	Sir Angus	104
7748	Miles	108
7714	Altamor	109

SIXTH RACE—Six and a half furlongs; purse; all ages:

7635	Phil Mohr	109
(7663)	Keep Moving	111
7748	Bit of Fortune	104
....	Belfast	91
4249	Massa	111
7634	Eddie Graney	107
7695	Shooting Spray	87
7635	Ocean View	108
7527	Setback	110
7748	No Quarter	111
(7706)	Ossabar	91

*Apprentice allowance.

SUGAR AND COFFEE

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Sugar—Raw, steady; Muscovado, .89 test, 3.48¼c; centrifugal, .96 test, 3.98¼c; molasses sugar, .89 test, 3.23½c; refined, quiet.
Coffee—Spot, quiet.

Private Wire—Chicago, New York. Western Union Code.

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Sales.	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
......	Am Agriculture	..	..	43½	46
......	Do pfd	..	..	99	..
......	Allis-Chalmers	..	..	8½	8½
......	Do pfd	..	..	29	30
4100	Amalg Copper	63	62⅝	62¾	62⅞
8000	Am Beet Sugar	43⅝	42¾	43⅛	43⅜
......	Do pfd	..	..	91	95
600	Am Can Co	..	..	8⅞	9⅛
300	Do pfd	76⅝	76½	76½	77
......	Am Car & F Co	..	..	50	51
......	Do pfd	..	..	113½	115
......	Am Cotton Oil	..	..	53	58¾
......	Am Hide & L	..	..	4½	4½
......	Do pfd	..	..	22	22½
......	Am Ice Securities	..	..	17½	18
......	Am Linseed	..	..	11	12½
......	Do pfd	..	..	32	33½
200	Am Locomotive	..	..	36½	37
......	Do pfd	..	..	105¾	107
1300	Am Smelt & R C	73⅜	73⅛	73⅛	73⅜
200	Do pfd	102⅝	102½	102	102¼
......	Am Sugar	..	..	114	116
......	Do pfd	..	..	113	115
......	Am Steel Found	..	..	42	43
1200	Am Tel & T Co	142½	142⅛	142¼	142½
100	Am Tob pfd	93½	93½	93¼	94
100	Am Woolen	32⅝	32¾	32	32½
......	Do pfd	..	..	91	92¾
400	Anaconda	39⅛	39	38⅝	39
100	Atlantic C Line	114	114	114½	114¾
1000	A T & Santa Fe	100⅝	100⅜	100¼	100⅝
100	Do pfd	..	..	102⅛	102⅝
......	Bethlehem Steel	..	..	27⅝	28½
......	Do pfd	..	..	56½	58½
500	Balt & Ohio	105	104¼	104¼	104½
......	Do pfd	..	..	89	91½
800	B R T	75½	75	75¼	75½
200	Canadian Pacific	193⅝	193	193⅛	193½
700	C & O	80½	80¼	80¼	80⅝
......	C & A	..	..	27	30
......	Do pfd	..	..	..	66½
......	C & G W	..	..	22	22¼
100	Do pfd	..	..	44½	45
......	C & N W	..	..	141½	142
......	Do pfd	..	..	190	210
400	C M & St P	122¼	121½	121⅞	122½
......	Do pfd	145½	145½	145¼	147
1000	Central Leather	32	31⅛	31½	32
......	Do pfd	..	..	103	104
......	Central of N J	..	..	260	281
......	C C C & St L	..	..	65	69½
......	Do pfd	..	..	98¾	100
......	Colo Fuel & Iron	..	..	30⅝	31
......	Do pfd	..	..	110½	117
......	Col H C & I	..	..	4	5
......	Colo Southern	..	..	56½	57½
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	72	75
......	Do 2d pfd	..	..	70	75
6500	Con Gas	135½	133½	135¼	135½
200	Corn Products	..	..	14½	15
......	Do pfd	..	..	78	79½
......	Del & Hudson	..	..	163	164½
......	D L & W	..	..	490	575
......	D & R G	..	..	28	29
......	Do pfd	67½	67¼	67¼	67⅝
400	Distill Securities	33½	33⅛	..	..
500	Erie	27⅝	27¼	27¼	27½
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	45⅝	46⅝
200	Do 2d pfd	..	..	34	35⅝
......	General Electric	..	..	154	155
200	Gt Northern Ore	..	..	56	56¾
300	Gt Northern pfd	122⅝	122½	122⅝	123
......	Illinois Central	..	..	130½	133
1600	Interboro-Met	19⅝	19½	19¼	19⅝
200	Do pfd	54¼	54¼	54	54½
......	Internat Harv	..	..	109	109⅝
......	Do pfd	..	..	121	122
......	Internat Paper	..	..	12½	13
......	Do pfd	56	55½	55⅝	56½
100	Internat Pump	40¼	40¼	40	40¼
......	Do pfd	..	..	84	85
......	Iowa Central	..	..	18	18⅝
200	Do pfd	32⅝	32¼	31½	32½
400	K C Southern	31⅝	31¼	31⅝	32¼
100	Do pfd	65½	65½	64¾	66
......	L & N	..	..	142¾	144
......	Mackay	..	..	90½	93
......	Do pfd	..	..	74⅝	75¾
......	Manhattan	..	..	137½	140
......	Mexican Central	..	..	34½	35¼
......	Minn & St L	..	..	20	27
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	54	..
......	M StP & S S M	..	..	130	132
......	Do pfd	..	..	146	150
......	M K & Texas	..	..	31	32
......	Do pfd	..	..	62¾	63
......	Missouri Pacific	..	..	45⅝	46¼
800	National Lead	54¼	53⅝	54	54⅝
......	Do pfd	..	..	106	107¾
300	National Biscuit	118¼	118	117½	118⅛
......	Do pfd	..	..	123	124
......	Nevada Con	..	..	18⅝	18⅝
......	N Y Air Brake	..	..	68	72
500	N Y Central	110½	110	110½	111
......	N Y C & St L	..	..	64	68
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	105	110
......	Do 2d pfd	..	..	88	93
......	N Y N H & H	..	..	150	155
......	N Y Ont & W	..	..	40	40½
300	Norfolk & West	100	99⅞	99⅞	100
......	Do pfd	..	..	80	89⅝
......	North American	..	..	64	65
600	Northern Pacific	115⅝	115½	115½	115⅝
......	Omaha	..	..	138	145
......	Do pfd	..	..	160	175
......	Pacific Coast	..	..	98	105
......	Pacific Mail	..	..	28¼	28¾
......	Pacific Tel & T	..	..	43⅝	44
......	Do pfd	..	..	80	90
500	Penn R R Co	128⅝	128½	128⅝	128½
500	Peoples Gas	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝	105¾
......	Pittsburg Coal	..	..	17	18⅝
......	Do pfd	..	..	67	69
......	P C C & St L	..	..	96	98½
......	Do pfd	..	..	105	112
......	Pressed Steel Car	..	..	30	31
......	Do pfd	..	..	93	94½
......	Pullman Co	..	..	158	160
100	Ry Steel Spg Co	..	..	31	32
......	Do pfd	..	..	91⅞	93
17800	Reading	140⅝	140¼	140½	140⅝
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	87⅝	91
200	Do 2d pfd	93½	93½	92	93
......	Republic S & I	..	..	30¼	30½
......	Do pfd	..	..	92	93
100	Rock Island Co	29¼	29¼	29¼	29½
......	Do pfd	..	..	60⅞	62
......	Sears Roebuck	..	..	150	135
......	Sloss S S & I Co	..	..	49	49½
......	Do pfd	..	..	112	112½
......	StL & SF 1 pfd	..	..	60	65
......	Do 2d pfd	..	..	38¾	39½
......	St L & S W	..	..	25	26
......	Do pfd	..	..	60½	61¼
2000	Southern Pacific	114¾	114½	114½	114¾
......	Southern Ry	..	..	26	27
100	Do pfd	67⅞	61⅞	61½	61⅞
100	Tenn Copper	34⅝	34⅝	34	35
100	Texas Pacific	25⅝	25⅝	25½	26
......	Third Avenue	..	..	9½	10
100	Tol St L & W	23⅝	23⅝	22¼	23
......	Do pfd	..	..	51	58
......	Twin City R T	..	..	108	109½
......	Union Bag & P	..	..	8	9
......	Do pfd	..	..	54	59
8700	Union Pacific	176	169½	169⅝	170
100	Do pfd	92	92	91⅝	92
700	Un R R of S F	29	29	28	30
200	Do pfd	60	59½	56	60
......	U S Cast Iron P	..	..	15½	17
......	Do pfd	..	..	50	53½
......	U S Realty	..	..	68	69½
......	U S Rubber	..	..	34	35
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	109¼	109¾
......	Do 2d pfd	..	..	71	74
24500	U S Steel Cor	72½	72	72¼	72¼
1300	Do pfd	..	..	116⅝	116¾
......	Utah Copper	44⅞	44½	44⅝	45
......	Va-Car Chem Co	..	..	61½	62½
......	Do pfd	..	..	122	125
200	Wabash	16½	16	16	16½
300	Do pfd	33⅝	33⅜	33½	34
......	Wells Fargo Ex	..	..	145	152
7300	West Maryland	49½	48½	49	49⅜
200	Western Union	73	73	72⅞	73
......	Westinghouse	..	..	66½	67¼
......	W & L E	..	..	4½	5½
......	Do 1st pfd	..	..	12	13
......	Do 2d pfd	..	..	6½	8
......	Wisconsin Cen	..	..	55	57
5800	Lehigh Valley	180	179⅝	179⅝	179⅞
2000	Goldfield Con	8½	8⅛	8⅜	8½

116,300—Total shares sold. Bonds, $1,442,500.
Call loans—Opening, 3⅝ per cent; high, 3½ per cent; low, 3 per cent; last loan, 3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3½ per cent; closed at 3@3½ per cent.

BOND LIST.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Atch gn 4s	98½	99	Wbsh db 4s	63¼	63⅝
Do cv 4s	105	106	West Pac 5s	92¼	92½
B & O 4s	98	..	Jap 4s	88¾	89¼
B R T 4s	83	83¼	Do 1 4½s	95⅝	95⅞
Col Ind 5s	76¼	78	Do 2 4½s	95¼	95⅜
US Rlty 5s	87	90	U S reg 2s	100⅝	101¼
R I col 4s	73	73¼	Do Coup	100¾	101¼
S P ref 4s	94⅜	94½	U S reg 3s	102	102½
Do col 4s	91¾	92¼	Do Coup	102	102½
Do cv 4s	97⅜	97½	U S reg 4s	115¼	116¼
U P 1st 4s	101½	101⅝	Do Coup	115¼	116½
Do cv 4s	103⅝	103⅞	Panama 2s	100¼	..
U S Stl 5s	103⅞	104⅛	Denver 5s	88½	89¼
Untd Ry 4s	66	70	Armour 4½s	91¼	91¾

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Wheat—Steady, no trading; cash, $1.42½@1.47½.
Barley—Firm; May, $1.14⅝; cash, $1.10.
Corn—Steady; Western State yellow, $1.27@1.30.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR THE MONEY INVESTED.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC OAKLAND

ON AND AFTER DECEMBER 11, 1910.

Leave —SIXTEENTH-ST. STATION. — Arrive

7:54a Richmond, San Pablo, Pinole, Crockett, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Roseville, Wheatland, Marysville, Chico, Red Bluff, Anderson, Redding, Dunsmuir, Davis, Woodland (Marysville, Oroville), Williams, Willows, Orland (Hamilton), Corning—Elmira, Vacaville, Winters, Rumsey — 6:53p
8:13a Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga — Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez, Avon, Concord, Walnut Creek, Alamo, San Ramon, Dougherty, Livermore — 5:40p, 6:07p
8:33a Richmond, Port Costa, Martinez, Bay Point, Antioch, Byron, Tracy (Stockton), Modesto, Merced, Fresno, Selma, Goshen Junction Hanford, Visalia, Bakersfield, Yosemite Valley via Merced and El Portal — Lindsay, Porterville, Las Palmas, Friant — 4:05p, 7:07p
9:36a Atlantic Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Elmira, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Reno, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Denver, Omaha, Chicago — 7:54p
10:12a Stege, Richmond, San Pablo, Pinole, Rodeo, Vallejo Junction, Port Costa, Martinez, Bay Point — 6:07p
10:55a Los Angeles Passenger—Richmond, Port Costa, Bay Point, Byron, Tracy (Stockton), Merced, Berenda (Raymond), Fresno, Visalia, Bakersfield Los Angeles — Hanford, Lemoore, Coalinga—Tulare, Tipton, Pixley, Delano—Sanger, Reedley, Dinuba, Vallejo, Mare Island—Napa Junction, Napa — 7:07p, 4:05p, 10:55a
11:18a San Francisco "Overland Limited"—Ogden, Cheyenne (Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis), Omaha, Chicago, Salt Lake City, Denver, Kansas City, Des Moines, Chicago (no local passengers carried between any stations, San Francisco and Truckee) — 4:35p
11:53a Shasta Limited—Portland, Tacoma, Seattle — via Shasta Springs. Sleeping car train; does not carry local passengers; first-class pay tickets — 8:43p
12:53p Richmond, Port Costa, Suisun, Sacramento, Roseville, Auburn, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno, Sparks, Churchill, Wabuska Yerington, Mason), Mina, Tonopah, Goldfield—Laws, Keeler; Motor—Davis, Yolo, Williams, Willows, Sacramento, Roseville, Marysville, Gridley, Chico, Vina Tehama, Red Bluff — 7:11a, 2:07p
3:31p Richmond, Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun (Elmira, Vacaville), Winters, Sacramento, Davis, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville — 10:14a
3:53p Port Costa, Martinez, Bay Point, Cornwall, Antioch, Byron, Lathrop (Stockton), Modesto, Turlock, Merced, Berenda, Madera, Fresno — 11:36a, 10:42p
4:34p Vallejo, Santa Rosa, Napa, St. Helena, Calistoga—Port Costa, Martinez, Concord, Walnut Creek, Alamo, Danville, San Ramon, Dougherty, Livermore — 8:54a
5:34p El Dorado — Vallejo Junction (Vallejo, Mare Island), Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Lincoln, Wheatland, Marysville, Oroville, Motor Car—Davis, Woodland, Yolo, Dunnigan, Williams, Willows — 10:55a, 2:07p, 7:54p
6:33p Owl Limited — Los Angeles. Sleeping car train; does not carry day coach passengers — 7:37a
7:17p Eastern Express—Port Costa, Suisun, Elmira, Sacramento, Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno (Wadsworth), Hazen (Fallon), Battle Mountain, Palisade, Elko, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Pueblo Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago — 7:54p
7:34p Sunday only—Stege, Richmond, Pinole, Vallejo, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez, Avon, Bay Point — 10:33p
8:13p Richmond, Port Costa, Martinez, Cornwall, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton. Returns via Livermore, arrives First and Broadway 12:14p.
8:57p Oregon Express — Port Costa, Suisun, Davis, Sacramento, Roseville, Marysville, Chico, Tehama, Red Bluff, Shasta Springs, Weed, Ashland, Portland — 8:28a
10:37p China and Japan Fast Mail—Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Sparks, Hazen, Winnemucca, Battle Mountain, Palisade, Elko, Cobre, Ogden, Cheyenne, Denver, Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago — 9:25a, 2:07p
10:12p Richmond, Port Costa, Tracy, Lathrop, Modesto, Turlock, Merced, Berenda, Madera, Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield—Connect at Fresno for Selma, Traver, Goshen Junction (Visalia), Hanford, Armona, Lemoore, Huron, Coalinga—Connect at Bakersfield for Gosford, McKittrick—Monarch, Fellow—Arrives First and Broadway 7:40a.
10:17p Portland Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Suisun, Elmira, Davis, Woodland, Willows, Redding, Dunsmuir, Shasta Springs Sisson, Weed Macdoel Klamath Falls), Medford, Albany, Ashland, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle — 11:55a

Leave.—BROADWAY AND FIRST ST.—Arrive.

4:35a Elmhurst, San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, Centerville, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, San Jose — 8:42p
2:49a Niles, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Brighton, Sacramento—Connects with motor leaving Sacramento at 8:40a for Marysville, Live Oak, Gridley, Biggs, Durham, Chico—Arrives via Martinez, Port Costa, 16th St. 10:42p.
7:17a San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose — 6:28a
Connects at San Jose with No. 20, Shore Line Limited—Paso Robles Hot Springs, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles—First-class pay tickets only when presented with ticket for seat in Pullman parlor car—Standard and tourist car for El Paso, San Antonio, Houston, New Orleans, Chicago and East — 8:50a
No. 22, The Coaster—Soledad, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles —Lompoc—Pajaro—Castroville, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove — 2:02p
8:16a Niles, Pleasanton, Livermore, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Elk Grove, Sacramento—Connects at Tracy for Newman, Los Banos, Dos Palos, Kerman, Fresno—Connects at Stockton with motor car for Oakdale — 6:54p, 8:33p
8:30a Mt. Eden, Alvarado, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, Santa Clara, West San Jose, Los Gatos, Alma, Wright, Laurel, Glenwood, Felton (Boulder Creek), Big Trees, Santa Cruz, Watsonville, Pajaro, Castroville, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove — 8:08p
Connects at Santa Clara with No. 24, San Luis Obispo Passenger—Gilroy, Salinas, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo—Hollister, Tres Pinos—Pajaro, Watsonville, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove — 6:08p
9:39a Niles (San Jose), Pleasanton, Livermore, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Sacramento, Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Tuolumne, Angels — 8:33p
1:35p San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Niles, Irvington, Warm Springs, San Jose — 7:08p
2:14p San Leandro, Hayward, Niles, Centerville, Newark, Alviso, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose — 9:25a, 6:42p
2:36p Alvarado, Newark, Agnew, West San Jose, Los Gatos, Wright, Laurel, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz—Connects at Santa Clara with No. 30, Gilroy, Hollister, Tres Pinos—Watsonville, Santa Cruz—Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific Grove—Salinas — 9:17p
3:10p San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, San Jose — 9:50a
Connects at San Jose with No. 10, Sunset Express—El Paso, San Antonio, New Orleans, Washington, D. C.; New York—Paso Robles Hot Springs, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe, Surf, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Oxnard, Los Angeles, Del Monte, Monterey, Pacific—Washington Sunset Route—Washington, D. C.; New York and East—Golden State Limited special sleeper for Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago. Trains 10 and 9 do not carry local passengers between San Francisco and Salinas (inclusive) — 1:02p
4:30p Niles (Centerville, Newark), Sunol, Livermore, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi—Arrive via Martinez at 16th-St. depot 9:56a.
5:10p San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Niles, Sunol, Pleasanton, Livermore, Altamont, Tracy, Westley, Newman, Los Banos, Dos Palos, Mendota, Kerman, Fresno—Returns via Tracy, Byron, Martinez, Port Costa—Arrives 16th-St. depot 10:42p.
5:36p Russell, Mt. Eden, Newark, Santa Clara, West San Jose, Campbell, Los Gatos — 8:54a
5:57p San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Milpitas, San Jose — 2:02p
7:16p San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, San Jose — 6:08p
Connects at San Jose with No. 75. The Lark—Paso Robles Hot Springs, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles—No. 18, Los Angeles Express—Gilroy, Salinas King City, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Luis Obispo, Pismo, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles — 8:50a
10:15p Hunters' train (Saturday only) —Newark, Alviso, Agnew, San Jose — 7:14p

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

CONNOLLY-ST. JOHN—Robert W. Connolly, 22, Oakland, and Luella St John, 21, Alameda.
DUNCAN-LAWTON—David G. Duncan, 21, and Iona V. Lawton, 19, both of Oakland.
HALSTEAD-ROBINSON—Frank H. Halstead, 23, and Ethel Robinson, 18, both of Meadow Valley.
LANG-WILLIAMS—George Lang, 26, and Ada Williams, 19, both of Oakland.
SILVEY-GONSALVES—Rudolph S. Silvey, 26, and May Gonsalves, 24, both of Oakland.
THORNTON-PLANCHON—Elmer F. Thornton, 23, Escalon, and Ida Planchon, 20, Oakley.
WOORINEN-SALMON—Charles A. Woorinen, 22, and Jeanie Salmon, 22, both of Berkeley.

BIRTHS.

BUSS—In this city, December 19, 1910, to the wife of G. Buss, a daughter.
CHRISTIANSEN—In this city, December 18, 1910, to the wife of J. T. Christiansen, a daughter.
COLSON—In this city, December 19, 1910, to the wife of A. N. Colson, twins—son and daughter.
GUTHRIE—In this city, December 19, 1910, to the wife of C. Guthrie, a daughter.
KILLEEN—In this city, December 12, 1910, to the wife of E. C. Killeen, a son.
KUHN—In this city, December 17, 1910, to the wife of C. Kuhn, a daughter.
LETTLETON—In this city, December 15, 1910, to the wife of S. E. Lettleton, a daughter.
MacDONALD—In this city, December 9, 1910, to the wife of A. MacDonald, a son.
SEXTON—In this city, December 17, 1910, to the wife of L. J. Sexton, a son.
VALEMANO—In this city, December 11, 1910, to the wife of L. Valemano, a son.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT.

The following death certificates have been filed at the Health Office:

Name.	Age.	Date.	Cause.
Brown, Philip G.	10	Dec. 20	Auto. accident
Woodland, Jeanette	42	Dec. 22	Tuberculosis
Earl, Hazel	55	Dec. 20	Cirh. of liver.
Fogarty, Morgan J.	35	Dec. 22	Broken neck
Mourzen, Louis	89	Dec. 20	Senility
Scribener, Wm. J.	74	Dec. 22	Cerb. Hemhge.
Barnes, Simon	56	Dec. 20	Asthemia
Ihnen, H. H.	57	Dec. 22	Valv. Ht. Dis.
Murray, Anna L.	46	Dec. 21	Pneumonia

DEATHS.

FARRELL—In Suisun, December 22, 1910, Jack C., beloved son of Frank A. and Bernie Farrell (nee O'Hare) and brother of Frank A. Farrell Jr., a native of San Francisco, aged 5 years 6 months and 24 days. Remains at parlors of James L. McCarthy & Co., 1311 Clay street, corner Seventeenth.

Funeral private tomorrow (Saturday), December 24, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery.

FOGARTY—In this city, December 22, 1910, Morgan J. Fogarty, dearly beloved husband of Hannah Fogarty, a native of Pennsylvania, aged 35 years. A member of Structural Iron Workers, Local 31.

IHNEN—In Alameda, December 22, 1910, Hale Herman Ihnen, beloved husband of Lizzie Ihnen, a native of Germany, aged 57 years 9 months and 24 days. A member of Court Golden Gate, No. 603, I. O. O. F., and Master Painters' and Decorators' Association of San Francisco.

SCRIVENER—In this city, December 22, 1910, W. J. Scrivener, beloved husband of Maggie E. Scrivener, a native of London, England, aged 74 years. (Clinton, Mass., Los Angeles, Marysville and Sacramento papers please copy.)

WOODLAND—In Fruitvale, December 22, 1910, Janett Woodland, adopted daughter of Mrs. Mary C. Lane, a native of Missouri, aged 42 years 2 months and 26 days.

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LOST—Sunday, December 4, a white bulldog, having one brindle eye, one brindle spot on back. J. H. Brown, 527 Vernal ave., Piedmont; phone Piedmont 8917, liberal reward.

LOST—A Llewellyn setter bitch, one year-old; side of face and both ears black. Return same 1157 12th st., or phone Oakland 8271; reward.

LOST—Watch fob, locket-pencil attached, Key Route boat or Oakland. Return 1109 Battery st., San Francisco reward.

LOST—Saturday, Dec. 17, English setter, black and white. Return P. H. Hansen, 2268 Grove st.; reward.

LOST—A key-ring with about 12 keys bet. 20th and San Pablo and Apgar st. Return to 351 12th st.; reward.

LOST—Bicycle, painted blue, corner Oakland ave. and Perry. Return to 542 Walsworth ave.; reward.

LOST—Mounted Elk tooth, No. 26. Return to ... R. Cutter, Macdonough Theater; reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, name "Susie" on cover; liberal reward; keepsake. 72 15th st.

REWARD for return of collie, name on leg. F. A. Stearns, 173 Lester ave.

DAY AND CONTRACT WORK

A—CORBETT & BAYLES, general contractors, jobbing, store fittings. 1114 Franklin; phones Merritt 2706; Oakland 2789.

ANY kind roofs repaired or painted. A. Hillman, 506 E. 12th; drop postal card.

OAKLAND Marble Works, 717 7th st.; phones Oak. 3322, A 3298—Marble store fronts, steps, counters, base boards, etc.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICES

AA—ORIENTAL Emp. Bureau — Best help; city, country. 362 5th; A 3691, Oak. 3248; 731½ Clay, S. F.; Sutter 951.

AN oldest Japanese employment office, 811 7th st.; Oakland 5522, Home A-3522.

JAPANESE employment and house-cleaning office, 819 7th; phone Oakland 3915.

STENOGRAPHERS

ANNE E. MARTIN,
PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER — NOTARY PUBLIC.
Room 47, 969 Broadway.

MIRRORS AND GLASS.

MIRRORS re-silvered, and glazing. Oakland Mirror and Glass Beveling Works, 813 Adeline; both phones.

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HIGHEST prices paid for diamonds and old gold. Schoenfeld & Co., 38 San Pablo.

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A merchant would not think a woman very wise if she purchased a yard less silk for a gown than she needed—even if it were very fine silk. Nor is the merchant wise to purchase a column less advertising space than he needs, even if it is very fine advertising space—and costly.

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From this day, Dec. 20, 1910, I will not be responsible for any debts, except those contracted by me personally.
H. G. INGLER.

GENTLEMEN'S mending neatly done at 174 3d st., room 87, San Francisco.

GAS Consumers' Association reduces your bill 15% to 30%. 358 12th st.

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by Mrs. M. Rogers after December 23. J. ROGERS.

L. S. CLARK, Attorney-at-Law, 851 Jackson st.—Consultation free; open evenings.

My wife (Helen Francies Hanks) and I having separated, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her after this date, December 19, 1910.
T. H. HANKS.

MME. DE SALONIKA, clairvoyant, card reader; 25c, 50c. 817 Clay st.

NOTICE.
Stock sold in any form or shape of slip or receipt by any agent or person pretending to represent the Universal French Company of Portland, Oregon, will not be accepted, as no agent or person is thus authorized by said company.
F. YOUNGQUIST.

WOULD the gentlemen who witnessed the accident of lady being thrown from Southern Pacific train of Alameda horseshoe at estuary, train leaving San Francisco ferry at 10:10 Monday evening, kindly mail or phone addresses to Mrs. Alice Von Tobel, Fabiola Hospital, Oakland?

HELP WANTED—MALE

AI AGENTS wanted; big money. Oakland Rebate Co., rooms 1 and 2, Brown Bldg., cor. 10th and Washington.

AUTOMOBILE engineering taught. Call or write Motor Engineering Schools, cor. 57th and Adeline st., Oakland.

EXPERIENCED collector; state fully previous experience, age, salary. Box 6752, Tribune.

FREE reading-room and registry for the unemployed. 855 Broadway, room 24.

GENTLEMAN for district manager and handle agents. Call Saturday, 1310 Grove st., Oakland.

MEN and women wanted to feed Manhattan Stock Poultry Food, Red Ball brand.

WANTED—Men by large contracting company; $20,000 contract work going; can learn automobiles, electricity, plumbing, bricklaying, trade in few months; no apprentices or helpers' work and no expense. Catalogue free United Trade School Contracting Co., 1201 Call Bldg., Frisco.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

A PUBLIC stenographer can have free use of fine office simply for care of same during absence of manager. Box 6790, Tribune.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nelson's Employment Agency, 1256 Broadway; phones Oakland 1945, A 5664.

EXPERIENCED lady presser; good salary, good position. John F. Snow Co. Dye Works, 47th and Grove, Oakland.

GIRL or middle-aged woman to assist with housework; $15 a month and good home. Phone Oakland 3048.

GIRL for general housework and cooking. 2026 Adeline st., Oakland.

LADIES, learn hairdressing at California College of Hairdressing and Beauty Culture; diplomas and formulas given; individual instruction. 967½ Market st., bet. 5th and 6th, San Francisco.

NEAT young girl for general housework; family 3 adults; car fare. 490 Orchard street.

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WANTED—A settled Christian woman as working housekeeper in a children's home. 252 5th st.; call before 9 or after 4 o'clock.

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WANTED — Reliable girl for general housework and cooking. Phone Piedmont 639.

WANTED—A young girl to assist with light housework. 5306 Genoa.

WANTED—Woman to assist in housework, children. 430 65th st.

YOUNG girl, 15, assist light housework; good home; no cooking; $10 month. Call Mrs. Heymann, 479B 26th st.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

Architects, Lawyers, Writers

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AAA—YOUNG man, Dane, 22, wants any kind of work, or learn a trade. Box 129, Tribune, San Francisco.

Circular Letters

See L. J. REESE, PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, room 315 Central Bank Bldg.; phone Oakland 1138.

CHINESE, an experienced family cook, wants situation in Oakland, where second help is kept. Apply Lee Tung, M. E. Mission, 311½ 8th st.

CHAUFFEUR, an expert driver and repairman, wants a position with tourist party, private family or firm; best of city references. Box H-809, Tribune.

CHINESE cook, with best references, wishes position in private family. Sam Sing, 800 Webster st.; Oakland 5804.

CARPENTER, contractor and jobber; roof repairing and painting; estimates given. Phone Elmhurst 354.

FOR reliable Chinese or Japanese help, phone Oakland 4926 or A 5538.

JAPANESE couple wishes position at cooking, housework, gardening; city or country. 760 Webster st.; phone Oakland 8755.

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and small sets of books cared for on contract, reasonable. Address "Bookkeeper," 564 21st st.

SCHOOL boy wants position in small family, cook two meals a day. 837 Webster.

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WANTED—Work; 4 mules and man. Box 2770, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

A YOUNG lady wishes position bookkeeping and general office work; experienced; references. Phone Oakland 2412; M. W., 1212 Castro.

A LADY, neat sewer, wishes plain sewing, children's clothes, etc. Address Box 2742, Tribune.

COMPETENT help furnished on short notice. Success Emp. A., 1004 Bdwy.

DAY work; reliable women wish house-cleaning, washing, cooking Christmas dinners, etc. Phone Oakland 737.

FOR reliable colored help phone Oakland 4926 or A 5538.

JAPANESE girl wishes position at general housework. Phone Piedmont 993.

NEAT housekeeper wishes position in widower's home. Phone Merritt 1650.

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JAS. HENNEBERRY does all kinds of draying. Office, 428 6th st.; phones Oakland 564, A 1564; res. Oak. 4080, A 2746.

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LOCAL MARKETS.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including cases:

Grades—	Dec. 19	Dec. 20	Dec. 21	Dec 22
Extras	38½c	3[illegible]½c	37c	[illegible]8c
Firsts	37½c	3[illegible]c	35c	35c
Seconds	33c	3[illegible]c	33c	33c
Storage	32c	3[illegible]c	32c	32c
Do East Ex.	28c	2[illegible]c	26c	25c
Do Firsts	26c	2[illegible]c	26c	20c

Butter—Per pound, California fresh:

Grades—	Dec. 19	Dec. 20	Dec. 21	Dec 22
Extras	34½c	3[illegible]c	38½c	38½c
Firsts	30c	2[illegible]½c	28c	29c
Seconds	27c	2[illegible]c	27c	27c
Storage	30½c	3[illegible]½c	30½c	28c

New Cheese—Per lb: New California flats, fancy, 16½c; firsts, 15c; seconds, 12c; California Young Daisies, fancy 17½c; firsts, 16½c; Wisconsin Daisies, 18c; Oregon, fancy, 18c.
Storage—California, 15c do firsts, 14½c; do Young America, 16c; Oregon fancy, 15½c; do Young America, 17c; New York singles, 18½c; do Daisies, 19c.

MEAT MARKET.

DRESSED MEATS.

Beef—Per lb: No. 1 steers, 9@9½c; No. 1 cows and heifers, 8½@8½c.
Veal—Per lb, 10@11c, according to size and quality.
Hogs—Per lb, 12@12¼c.
Lambs—Per lb: Suckling; lambs, 11@11½c.

LOCAL MARKETS (Continued)

Mutton—Per lb: Wethers, 9½@10c; ewes, 9@9½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Cattle—San Francisco prices, gross weight: No. 1 fat steers, weighing over 900 lbs alive, 5½@5¾c; do under 900 lbs alive, 5¼@5½c; second quality, 4¾@5c; thin, undesirable steers, 4½@4¾c; No. 1 cows and heifers, 4½@4¾c; second quality, 4@4½c; common, thin, 3½@3¾c; desirable bulls and stags, 2¾@3c; thin, 2@2½c.
Calves—Light weight, per lb, 6@6½c; medium, 5½@5¾c; heavy, 4½@5c.
Sheep—Per lb, gross weight: Desirable wethers, 4¾@5c; ewes, 4¼@4½c.
Lambs—Per lb: Unshorn, 5½@6c.
Hogs—Per lb: Hard grain fed, weighing 100 to 140 lbs, 7¾c; 140 to 250 lbs, 8c; 250 to 350 lbs, 7¾c; common, undesirable hogs, 5@6c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Poultry—Per doz: Hens, small, $4@5; large, $5@6; do extras, $8@10; old roosters, $4@5; young roosters, $5@6; do full grown, $6.50@7.50; fryers, $4.50@5.50; broilers, large, $4@4.50; do medium, $3.50@4; do small, $3@3.50; ducks, old, $6@7; do young, $8@10; pigeons, old, $1.50@1.75; do young, $2@2.25; squabs, $3@4, geese, per pair, $2@3; hen turkeys, live, per lb, 19@20c; gobblers, live, 20@21c per lb; do dressed, 21@25c per lb.
Game—Per doz: Mallard, $4@5; sprig, $3@4; teal, $3; canvasback, $6@9; gray, $3; redheads, $4; widgeon, $2.50; blackjack, $2; spoonbill, $2.25@2.50, gray geese, $2.50; do white, $1.50@2.50; brant, large, $3; do small, $2; hare, $1.50@2; honkers, $6@8; rabbits, $2@3.

PROVISIONS.

Cottolene—1 half bbls, 11¾c; 3 half bbls, 11⅝c; 1 tierce, 11⅜c; 2 tierces, 11½c; 5 tierces, 11½c per lb.
Hams and bacon—Hams, 16@17½c; picnic hams, 14c; California hams, 16c; fancy bacon, 4 to 6 lbs, 29½c; 6 to 8 lbs 26c, 8 to 10 lbs 25c, 10 to 12 lbs 23½c; sugar cured, 25½c; light dry salt bacon, 8 to 10 lbs 23@24c, 10 to 12 lbs 21@22c; medium bacon, 18c; light medium bacon, 18c.
Lard—Tierces, 12½@13c; 50s 12¾@13¼c, 10s 13¼c, 5s 13½c, 3s 14c; compound lard, tierces, 10½c; 50s 10¾c, 10s 11¼c, 5s 11⅜c, 3s 11½c; yellow cooking oil, 68c per gal, white cooking oil, 70c per gal; salad oil, 75c per gal; califene, 11c for 1 tierce, 10¾c for 2 tierces and 10⅝c for 5 tierces.
Beef—Local prices are quoted. Export lots, inspected by the government, are $1 per bbl higher. Extra family beef, $17.50 per bbl; family beef, $17 per bbl; extra mess beef, $17 per bbl; smoked beef, 20½c per lb.
Pork—Extra prime, in barrels, $28; clear, $30; mess, $28, pig pork, $33; pigs' feet, $6.25 for half bbls, $2.45 for 35-lb kegs and $1.40 for kits.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

Strawberries—Nominal.
Raspberries—$10@14 per chest.
Huckleberries—12½@15c per lb.
Cranberries—Cape Cod, $13@14 per bbl for late Howe and $10@11 for early black.
Apples (per box)—Fancy 4-tier red, $1@1.25; Newtown pippins, 90c@$1.15; fancy greenings, 75c@$1; common to choice fruit, 40@65c; Christmas apples, $1.50@2 per box.
Pears—Winter Nellis, $2.25@2.75 per box.
Persimmons—50@75c per box.
Grapes—Crates, 75c@$1.25; small boxes, 65c@$1.10.
Citrus Fruits (per box)—Navel oranges, $1.50@1.90 for choice and $2@2.50 for extra choice; tangerines, $1@1.50 per box; grapefruit, $2.50@3 for seedless and $2.50@3 for common; lemons, $3@3.50 for fancy, $2.25@2.50 for choice and $1.50@2 for standard; Mexican limes, $4@4.50.
Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 75c@$1.25 a bunch for Hawaiian and $1.50@2.50 for Central American; pineapples, $2.25@2.75 per dozen.

POTATOES, ONIONS AND VEGETABLES.

Potatoes—River whites, $1.25@1.50 per ctl; Salinas Burbanks, $1.70@1.85 per ctl; Oregon Burbanks, $1.50@1.65 per ctl; sweet potatoes, $2.85@3 per ctl.
Onions—New yellow, $1.25@1.40 per ctl.
Vegetables—Tomatoes, $1@1.25 per crate; green peas, 5@8c per lb; string beans, 12½@15c per lb; lima beans, 6@7c per lb; summer squash, $1@1.25 per box; green peppers, 5@7c per lb; garlic, 5c per lb; cabbage, 65c per ctl; cucumbers, 75c@$1 per dozen; cauliflower, 40@50c per dozen; turnips, 65c per sack; carrots, 75c per sack, celery, 65@85c for small and $1.50@2 for large crates; southern eggplant, 6@8c per lb; mushrooms, 50c@$1 per box.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

Beans (per ctl)—Bayos, $4.75@5.25; small, white, $3.25@3.50; large white, $3@3.50; pink, $5.25@5.40; red, $5@5.50; blackeye, $5@5.25; lima, $4.60@4.85; red kidneys, $5@5.75; cranberry beans, $3.75@4.15; garvanzas, $2.75@3.25; horse beans, $1.75@2.25.
Seeds—Brown mustard, 4¾c; yellow mustard, ——; flaxseed, 5@5½c; canary, 3@3¾c; alfalfa, 18@19c; rape, 1@2½c; timothy, 8½c; hemp, 2¾@3c; millet, 3c per lb.
Dried Peas—Green, $3.75@4; Niles, nominal.

DRIED FRUITS, RAISINS, NUTS, HONEY.

Fruits—Evaporated apples, 9@10c; apricots, 11@13c; fancy Moorparks, 13½@14c; peaches, 6@6½c; fancy, 7c; prunes, 6¼@6½c basis; figs, nominal, pears, 10@13c.
Raisins—Layers, clusters—6 crown, $2.50; 3 crown, $2; 4 crown, $1.50; 3 crown, $1.30; 2 crown, $1.20, seeded, 4½@5c for choice and 5¼@5½c for fancy; Thompson's seedless, 4¾c; loose muscatel, 4 crown, 5@5¼c; 3 crown, 4@4¼c; 2 crown, 3½@3¾c; seedless, 3¼@4¾c; raisins in sweatbox at Fresno, 2¾@3c.
Nuts—Almonds, nonpareils, 15c; IXL, 14c; ne plus ultra, 13c; peerless, 12c; Drakes, 11½c; languedocs, 11c; hardshell, 7½@8c; shelled almonds, 30@35c; new walnuts, 15c per lb for No. 1 softshells, 14½c for No. 1 standards; No. 2 standard, 11c; pecans, 14½@15c; peanuts, 4½@5c; pine nuts, 18@20c; Italian chestnuts, 12@14c; California chestnuts, 10@13c per lb.
Honey—Water white comb, 14@16c; white do, 12@12½c; amber do, 10@11c; extracted, 8½@9c for white, 7@8c for light amber and 5½@6½c per lb for amber.
Beeswax—27½@29c per lb for light and 23@26c for dark.

FLOUR AND FARINACEOUS GOODS.

Flour—California family extras, $6.40@5.50 net without discount; bakers' extras, $5.40@5.60; superfine, $4.50@4.70; Oregon and Washington, per bbl, $4.00@4.80 for family bakers' and patents and $4@4.80 for cutoff; Kansas patents, $3.70; do straights, $6.50; Dakota patents, $7.40; do straights, $7.20; do clear, $6.60 per bbl.
Farinaceous Goods—Buckwheat flour, $4.20; buckwheat flour, self-raising, $5; buckwheat groats, $8; corn meal, yellow $3, white $8, extra cream yellow, $3.25; extra cream white, $3.25; corn flour, $3; cracked wheat, $3.30; entire wheat flour, $3.20; farina, $3.[illegible]; graham flour, $3; hominy [illegible] $3, small [illegible] granulated $3; oatmeal, $4.45; oat groats, $4.25; pearl barley, $4.20; rice flour, $6; rolled oats, $4.25; rolled wheat, $3.30; rye flour, $3.25; rye meal $3.10; split peas, yellow, $6, green $6.50; extra cream rolled oats, 180 lbs $7.50, 2 90-lb. sacks $7; rolled flakes, 18-lb bbls $5.75, 2 90-lbs sacks $3.25; rolled wheat, 150-lb bbls $4.75, 2 75-lb sacks $4.25.

HIDES, TALLOW, WOOL AND HOPS.

Hides—Culls and brands sell about ½@1c under quotations; heavy salted steers, 10c; light medium, 9c; light, 8½c; cowhide, 8½c; stags, 7c; salted kip, 10c; salted veal, 15½c; salted calf, 15½c; dry hides, 18c; dry salt hides, 12c, dry kip, 17c; dry calf, 22c; sheepskins, shearlings, 25@40c each; short wool, 40@70c; medium, 70@90c; long wool, 90c@$1.25; lambs, 20@60c; horsehides, salt, $2.25@3 for large and $1.50@2 for medium, 75c@$1 for small and 25@50c for colts; horsehides, dry, $2.00@2.25 for large and $1.25@2 for medium, 50c@$1 for small and 25@50c for colts, goatskins, prime angoras, 75c@$1; large hair goats, 30@40c; medium, 20@30c, small, 5@15c.
Tallow—No. 1 rendered, 5½@6½c; No. 2, 4@5c; grease, 2@2½c.
Wool—Spring clip, San Joaquin, year's staple, 9@11c; do 8 months, 7@11c; Humboldt and Mendocino, 18@19c; Nevada, 12@14c per lb.
Fall clip—Mountain free, 9@11c; northern and valley, 7@10c; San Joaquin fall and lambs, 7@10c; do defective and heavy, 5@7c per lb.
Hops—Crop of 1910, 11@14c per lb to growers.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

Both hay and feed stuffs remain unchanged both as to prices and market conditions.
Bran—$30@31.50 per ton.
Middlings—$34@36.50 per ton.
Shorts—$31@32.50 per ton.
Feedstuffs—Rolled barley, $23@23.50; rolled oats for feed, $29@31; mixed feed, $25@28 for average lots; linseed oilcake meal, 20 tons, $40, 10 tons $40.50; 5 tons $41; smaller lots, $41.50; coconut cake or meal at mills, $24.50 in 20 and 10 and $25 in 5-ton lots; jobbing, $25.50; corn meal, $35@36; cracked corn, $35@36; alfalfa meal, carload lots $17, jobbing $18; red star alfalfa meal $18 in car lots and $19 jobbing; Modesto alfalfa meal, $17 in car lots and $18 jobbing; Stockton mealfalfa, $17 in car lots and $18 jobbing; Capreco oilcake meal, $16.50 per ton; calfalfa, $19 in car lots and $20 jobbing.
Hay—Ordinary wheat, $9@12.50; choice, $13@14; wheat and oats, $9@11.50; tame oat, $9@12.50; volunteer wild oat, $8@9; alfalfa, $9@11; stock hay, $5.50@6.50 per ton.
Straw—35@50c per bale.

HORSES AND MULES.

The following quotations for horses and mules are furnished by the Butchers and Stock Growers' Journal:

HORSES.

Desirable drafters, 1700 lbs and over	$275@300
Light drafters, 1350 to 1650 lbs	225@275
Chunks, 1350 to 1500 lbs	200@250
Wagon horses, 1250 to 1350 lbs	175@200
Delivery wagon horses, 1050 to 1250	125@150
Desirable farm mares	135@150
Farm workers	75@100

MULES, MEDIUM TO EXTRA.

900 lbs, 4 to 7 years	$125@150
1000 lbs, 4 to 7 years	150@175
1100 lbs, 4 to 7 years	200@225
1200 lbs, 4 to 7 years	250@300

Over 7 years old range from $15 to $25 lower.
Note.—Shippers to this market must have horses close to type, with age, bone conforma-

Classified advertisements in THE TRIBUNE pay big returns for the money invested.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS RECORDED THURSDAY, DEC. 22.

Harbor Cities Realty Company to Florence P. Morrison (single), lots 25 and 26, block 8, amended map Regents Park, Berkeley; $10.
Bridget J. King (widow) to Frank L. King, undivided one-half, N one-half of SE one-quarter and SE and SW one-quarter of NE one-quarter and SE one-quarter of NW one-quarter of section 12, township 4 S, range 1 W, in district of lands subject to sale at San Francisco, containing 160 acres, also 91.16 acres, Murray township; NE one-quarter of SE one-quarter of section 12, township 4 S, range 1 W, reserving life estate to first party, Murray township; $10.
Frank L. King (single) to Bridget J. King, same, life estate, Murray township; gift.
Clesbach and John Schudel to Eliza and John Schudel (husband), lots 4 and 5, block 20, map Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.
Rose and John F. Smith (husband) to E. W. Horne, SW Nicol avenue, 110 SE Fruitvale, SE 40 by SW 100, portion lots 1 and 2, block D, map De Wolf tract, Oakland; $10.
C. F. and Edyth M. Haycraft to Charles E. Davis, S Sixty-third street, 120 E Dover, E 40 by S 103.50, lot 4, block 1363, map Poirier tract, Oakland; $10.
C. S. and E. M. Haycraft to Charles E. Davis, same, Oakland; quitclaim deed; $10.
E. L. Champreux (single) to E. M. Fossing (single), lot 92, map Dowling Homestead tract, Brooklyn township; $10.
E. M. Fossing (single) to Joseph Russell (married), NW Kelly avenue, 50 NE Excelsior street, NE 50 by NW 100, NE 50 feet lots 3 and 4, map Kelly tract, portion of Watson tract, Brooklyn township; lot 62, map Dowling Homestead tract, Brooklyn township; $10.
E. L. Champreux (single) to E. M. Fossing (single), N Fifty-fourth or Central, 220 E Park street, E 30 by N 100, E 30 feet lot 80, block B, map Parsons' Golden Gate tract, Oakland; $10.
Jessie and Robert B. Mott (by trustee) to R. B. Tappan, S Buena Vista avenue, 100 W Lafayette street, W 34 by S 100, Alameda; trustee's deed; $1500.
Perry Johnson (widower) to Emma E. Crowell (widow), N East Fifteenth street, 100 E Fifth avenue, E 50 by N 75, portion block 73, Clinton, Oakland; gift.
Edward Sals Inc. and J. D. Millar to James S. McGowan, lot 24, block 4, map Mowry Addition to Newark, Washington township; $10.
Tony C. and Mary Piva (wife) to Joao F. and Guilhermina F. Avelar (wife), S William or Fifth street, 208.4¼ E Wood, E 22.9 by S 100.7¼, portion block 502, Oakland; $10.
Forest C. and Ethel Little (wife) to Carleton L. and Luella A. Little (wife), lots 30 and 41, map Bonnie Brae tract, Eden township; $10.
Carleton L. and Luella A. Little to E. W. and Julia Merwin (wife), lots 41 and 39, map same, Eden township; $10.
E. W. Merwin (married) to Julia C. or E. W. Merwin (husband), same, Eden township; gift.
Joao F. and Guilhermina F. Avelar to Antonio C. and Maria C. Pavao (wife), S William or Fifth street, 208.4¼ E Wood, E 22.9 by S 100.7¼, portion block 502, Oakland; $10.
Estate Emma Sjolund (by administrator) to Joseph B. Vizzard, W Grand street, 75 E Clement avenue, S 25 by W 108, portion block 55, Encinal, Alameda; $150.
Estate Nicholas Neary (by administrator) to same, same, Alameda; $10.
Cornelia L. Nokes to Robina L. Boardman, E 159.65 feet of lot 10, block 2 upper Claremont, map Claremont, map No. 2, Berkeley; $10.
Jane Dickie to Thomas D. Osborn and George H. Porep, E Laurel street, 40 S Clinton avenue, S 40 by E 100, W 100 feet lot 4, block A, Bellevue tract, Alameda; $10.
H. W. Fairbanks to Bertha H. Fairbanks, lot 33, block I, amended map Hopkins Terrace, also lot 3, block 2, Berkeley; lot 12, block 2, map Cragmont, Berkeley; $10.
R. B. Tappan (single) to Celia Parsons, S Buena Vista avenue, 100 W Lafayette street, W 34 by S 100, Alameda; $10.
P. F. and Anna G. Dana (wife) to Robert Davies, portion SW one-quarter of section 15, township 3 S, range 2 E, containing 16.74 acres, Murray township; $10.
Trustees of Lone Tree Cemetery to D. C. Kennedy, lot in cemetery; $30.
D. C. Kennedy to Erich R. and Jens C. Jensen, lot in cemetery; $10.
Della A. Meyers et als. to William H. Brown (single), lot 16, map Brown tract, Oakland; quitclaim deed; $10.
G. S. and E. M. Haly (wife) to L. A. and Anna E. Stephenson, SE Vernon, 90 NE Santa Rosa, NE 40 by SE 132, NE 30 feet lot 24, SW 10 feet lot 23, block F, map Stanford tract, Oakland; $10.
L. A. and Anna E. Stephenson to G. S. and E. M. Haly (wife), N East Twenty-seventh or Huff street at SW corner tract known as the property of H. H. Lawrence, which point is also SE corner of lands formerly of Middleton, NE 62.11, E 108, S 51.6, W 102, portion tract on map property of H. H. Lawrence, Oakland; $10.
Piedmont Development Company to James P. Edoff, all that portion lot 4, map Piedmont Springs tract, Oakland township; $10.
Benjamin F. Solomon (single) to John H. Solomon (single), E Telegraph avenue, 100 S Forty-eighth or Temescal street, E 100 by N 25, portion lot 5, map of Temescal Park, Oakland; $10.
Samuel and Maria Dutra (wife) to Joseph V. Goulardt et als., 299.57 acres, being portion rancho San Lorenzo, Eden township; $10.
Samuel and Maria Dutra (wife) to same, lots 38, 39 and 40, map subdivision Frank Silva tract, Elmhurst, Brooklyn township; $10.
Sarah A. Mann (single) to Otis W. Engs (married), lot 19, block G, map resubdivision Weston tract, Oakland; $10.
Sam Bell Wakefield to Joseph Dame, entire block 4, map Highland Park Terrace, Oakland; $500.
Walnut Creek Development Company to Harry C. Morrison (single), E Vicente street, 314.50 N Avala, NE 41.07, SE 80.79, S 40, W 71.46 to beginning, Oakland; W Bonita, SE 100, SW 30, NW 108.31 to point on S Blair avenue, NE 20.03, NE 17.16, portion of lots 1 and 2, block B, map Huntoon tract, also portion block C, map Central Piedmont tract, Oakland; $10.
O. M. and Annie F. Bullock to Thomas H. Greene, NW Snell, 80 NE Orchard, NE 30 by NW 125, being SW 30 feet lot 138, map Dowling Homestead tract, Oakland; $—.
Thomas H. and Georgia V. Greene to R. N. Burgess Mortgage Company, same, Oakland; $10.
O. M. and Annie F. Bullock (wife) to Thomas H. Greene, W Desmond street, 100 N Forty-ninth or Birch, N 50 by W 150, portion lot 9 in plot 13, map plot 13, Kellersberger's map, Oakland; $10.
Thomas H. and Georgia V. Greene to R. N. Burgess Mortgage Company, same, Oakland; $10.
Viola A. and John S. G. Young to Benjamin R. Dexter, S Fifty-fifth street, 310 W Telegraph avenue, W 40, S 90.31, E 40, N 89.44, lot 13 and W 15 feet lot 14, map Drexler tract, Oakland; $10.
Isadora J. Annis (wife J. W.) to Lucille Simmonds (widow), S Fifty-seventh street, 105.55 E Park, being NW corner lot 3, block B, S 112.06, E 33.33, N 113.33 feet lot 8, block B, map Gaskill tract, Oakland; granting life estate only; gift.
Bertha and Anton Monseignuer to Ignacia G. de Salazar (widow), W Vallejo street 128 S from NE corner lands patented to Jesus J. Vallejo, S 110 by W 100, portion lands ex-Mission San Jose, Eden township; $10.
Holcomb Realty Company et als. to Joseph Epstein, lot 9, block 75, plan of Decoto, Washington township; $10.
Frank J. and Marie Taylor to Wilhelmina F. Ludinghouse, NW Linden and West Sixteenth streets, N 120, W 110, S 20, E 31, S 100, E 85, portion block 596, Clinton, Oakland; quitclaim deed; $10.
George H. Ludinghouse and wife to Chester E. Powell, W Linden street, 90 N West Sixteenth, N 30, W 50, portion block 596, Oakland; $10.
Albert J. Grubbs and wife (by trustees) to A. K. Percival, W Market street, 55.20 S Thirty-third, S 29 by W 116, portion block C, Central Land Company, Oakland; trustees' deed; $3150.
Herman S. McKeen (single) to George W. Austin, SW 27.6 feet lot 9, map Templeton tract, Oakland; $10.
Herman S. McKeen to George W. Austin, NW Montgomery and Summit streets, W 62.6 by N 100, lots 26 and 27 and E one-half lot 28, block C, new Town of Lynn, Oakland; $10.
Same to same, lot 15, map George W. Austin resubdivision portion block 78, Northern Addition to Brooklyn, Oakland; $10.
Same to same, lot 31, map No. 2, map William Butter tract, Oakland; $10.
O. M. and Annie F. Bullock to Thomas H. Greene, NW Snell 170 NE Orchard, NE 35 by NW 125, NE 30 feet lot 140 and SW 5 feet lot 141, map Dowling Homestead tract, Oakland; $10.
Thomas H. and Georgia V. Greene to William O'Brien, same, Oakland; $10.
George M. and Clara A. Landsburg to William M. and Annie E. Parke (wife), N Encinal avenue, 148 E Union street, E 40 by N 140, lot 12, block 5, Bartlett tract, Alameda; $10.
John Dobbel to estate Harry W. Meek, right of way 5 feet wide for water pipe, containing 2.322 acres, Eden township; $1.
Lewis & Mitchell Inc. to Arthur P. Mitchell (single), lot I, map Claremont Palms tract, Oakland; $10.
Sophia and Andrew Peterson to Thomas R. Sllvey (single), W Willow street, 110 S Tenth, S 25 by W 100, portion block 701, Oakland; $10.
Klein Realty Company to Lucie H. Peres (single), lots 18 and 19, block 5, map Claremont, Berkeley; $10.

FIRST WEDDING IN MISSOURI PENITENTIARY

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 23.—The first wedding ever solemnized in the Missouri penitentiary took place today, when Governor Hadley, at the request of Mrs. Ruth Ritch of Kennett, Mo., paroled Charles Beauchamp that they might wed. They were engaged when Beauchamp was brought to the prison to serve two years for assault with intent to kill.
The woman pleaded with the governor that she would see that Beauchamp lived a proper life in the future. The ceremony was performed in the warden's office.

Shipping News and Marine Intelligence

SUN, MOON AND TIDES.

United States Coast and Geodetic Survey—Tables show time and height of high and low water at Fort Point, entrance to San Francisco bay. For Oakland (city water front) add 40 minutes, standard time.

December 23 to December 28.

Date.	Time. Ft. H. W.	Time. Ft. L. W.	Time. Ft. H. W.	Time. Ft. L. W.
23	5:55 5.3	12:05 2.7	5:43 3.9	11:28 1.3
24	6:35 5.4	1:12 2.0	7:02 3.8	... ...
	L. W.	H. W.	L. W.	H. W.
25	0:18 1.8	7:13 5.4	1:55 1.6	8:15 3.8
26	1:03 2.3	7:47 5.5	2:40 1.1	9:13 3.8
27	1:47 2.3	8:17 5.6	3:20 0.6	10:16 3.8
28	2:32 3.2	8:47 5.6	3:56 0.0	11:10 3.9

Friday, December 23.

Sun rose 7:23 | Sun sets 4:56
Moon rises 11:49 p. m.
Last quarter December 23, at 2:26 a. m.
New Moon December 31, at 8:12 a. m.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

ARRIVE.

Steamers due to arrive and depart from San Francisco for the next few days are as follows:

Steamers.	From	Due.
Harvard	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 24
Stanley Dollar	New York, via Ancon	Dec. 24
Geo. W. Elder	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 24
Hanalei	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 24
Stanley Dollar	New York, via Ancon	Dec. 24
Norwood	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 24
Harvard	Los Angeles	Dec. 24
City of Panama	New York via Acapulco	Dec. 25
Admiral Sampson	Seattle and Tacoma	Dec. 25
Santa Clara	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Dec. 25
Coos Bay	San Pedro and way ports	Dec. 25
Brunswick	Fort Bragg	Dec. 25
Sea Foam	Mendocino and Point Arena	Dec. 25
Santa Monica	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 26
Umatilla	Alaska, Puget Sound, Victoria	Dec. 26
Rose City	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 26
Bear	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 26
Enterprise	Hilo	Dec. 26
President	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 26
City of Topeka	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Dec. 27
Missourian	Salina Cruz, via San Diego	Dec. 27
M. F. Plant	Coos Bay	Dec. 27
Curacao	Mexican ports, Guaymas	Dec. 28
Hilonian	Honolulu	Dec. 28
Geo. W. Elder	San Diego and Los Angeles ports	Dec. 29
Watson	Seattle and Tacoma	Dec. 29
Mongolia	Hongkong, via Yokohama and Honolulu	Dec. 30
Queen	Alaska, Puget Sound, Victoria	Dec. 30
Hanalei	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 30
Rose City	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 31
Beaver	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 31
Roanoke	Portland and Astoria	Dec. 31
Santa Clara	Eureka ports	Dec. 31
Umatilla	San Diego ports	Jan. 1
City of Topeka	Eureka ports	Jan. 1
Buckman	Seattle and Tacoma	Jan. 1
Brunswick	Fort Bragg	Jan. 1
Sea Foam	Mendocino and Point Arena	Jan. 1

DEPART.

Steamers.	For	Sail.
Sierra	Honolulu direct	Dec. 24
G. W. Fenwick	New York, via Ancon	Dec. 24
San Juan	New York, via Ancon	Dec. 24
City of Puebla	Victoria, Puget Sound and Alaska	Dec. 24
City of Topeka	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Dec. 24
Geo. W. Elder	Los Angeles ports and San Diego	Dec. 24
Buckman	Seattle and Tacoma	Dec. 24
Bee	Seattle, Tacoma and Everett	Dec. 24
Norwood	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 24
Harvard	Los Angeles	Dec. 24
Pleiades	New York and Europe, via Tehauntepec	Dec. 24
Hanalei	Los Aneles ports	Dec. 25
Pomo	Point Arena and Albion	Dec. 25
Yale	Los Angeles	Dec. 26
Asia	Hongkong, via Honolulu and Yokohama	Dec. 27
Bear	Astoria and Portland	Dec. 27
Coos Bay	San Pedro and way ports	Dec. 27
Mariposa	Tahiti direct	Dec. 28
Umatilla	San Diego and way ports	Dec. 28
Rose City	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 28
Admiral Sampson	Seattle and Tacoma	Dec. 28
Santa Clara	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Dec. 28
Brunswick	Fort Bragg	Dec. 28
Sea Foam	Point Arena and Mendocino	Dec. 28
City of Topeka	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Dec. 29
Santa Monica	Gray's Harbor	Dec. 29
M. F. Plant	Coos Bay	Dec. 29
Boveric	Sydney, N. S. W., and Auckland	Dec. 30
Geo. W. Elder	Astoria and Portland	Dec. 30
Enterprise	Hilo	Dec. 31
Pennsylvania	New York, via Ancon	Dec. 31
Roanoke	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 31
Hanalei	Los Angeles ports	Dec. 31
Watson	Seattle and Tacoma	Dec. 31
M. F. Plant	Coos Bay	Dec. 31
Queen	San Diego ports	Jan. 1
Rose City	Astoria and Portland	Jan. 1
Pomo	Point Arena and Albion	Jan. 1

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.
For the six months ending December 31, 1910, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4%) per cent per annum on savings deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1911. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from January 1, 1911.
J. Y. ECCLESTON, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, Cal.
For the six months ending December 31, 1910, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1911. Dividends not called for will be added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from January 1, 1911.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
FIRST TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, California.
(Affiliated with the First National Bank of Oakland).
For the six months ending December 31, 1910, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on savings deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1911. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal. Money deposited on or before January 10th will draw interest from January 1st.
O. D. JACOBY, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING.
Union Savings Bank, Oakland, Cal.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal., will be held at the banking rooms, northeast corner of Thirteenth street and Broadway, Oakland, Cal., on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.
The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, Cal.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, California, on Monday, January 9, 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m.
W. W. GARTHWAITE, President.

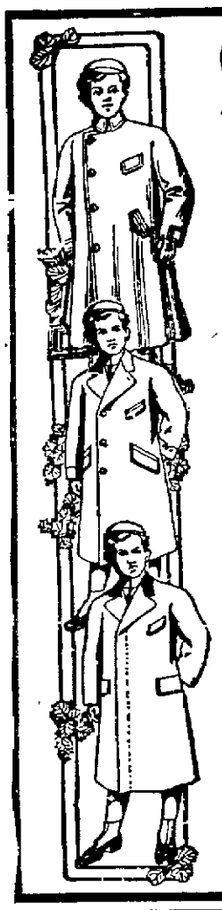
ANNUAL MEETING HARBOR BANK.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Harbor Bank will be held at the banking rooms, Broadway, at Fifth street, on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, at 3:30 P. M.
C. C. SPAULDING, Cashier.

Livermore Notes

LIVERMORE, Dec. 23.—Mrs. A. Lowenthal spent a week in San Francisco visiting relatives.
Mrs. McKnown and Miss Dollie are spending a few days in Oakland.
Rev. Power, who has been spending a few months in touring the British Isles, is expected home.
Mr. and Mrs. Monahan have gone to Vancouver, B. C., for a visit with relatives there.
Mrs. S. I. Graham has returned to town, after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. Galway, of Crockett.
At a recent meeting of the Native Sons the following were elected officers: Morris Victor, past president; A. M. Bowles, president; A. L. Leal, first vice-president; G. Babcock, second vice-president; J. C. Scott, third vice-president; F. Fennon, marshal.
Claude Barker, who is a ranger in the Sierra national forest, with headquarters at Burrough, has arrived home, to remain through the holidays.
The Stockton High School will play the local high school basketball team January 7.

LONE HIGHWAYMAN HOLDS UP PEDESTRIAN

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Louis Rothenberger, of 17 Fair avenue, reported to the police today that he had been held up at Fourteenth and Mission streets by a lone highwayman, who beat him to the pavement and robbed him of his watch and chain



Give the Boys Useful Gifts

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$40,000,000 IS SALMON OUTPUT OF 1910 SEASON

SEATTLE, Dec. 23.—The combined salmon packs of Alaska, British Columbia and Puget Sound for the season of 1910 show an aggregate output of 3,600,586 cases, the largest "lean" year on record, according to the final figures compiled yesterday. The salmon packs run in cycles of four years, there being three "lean" years and one "fat" year. The last "fat" year was 1909.

The 1910 salmon pack brought to Alaska and the Pacific Northwest canneries approximately $19,000,000. The value of the Alaska pack was $11,108,000, the British pack $4,757,000, and the Puget Sound pack $3,845,000.

PASSAIC CHINESE LEPER TO BE FREED

PASSAIC, N. J., Dec. 23.—Mark Lee, a Chinese leper, who has been confined for some time at the tuberculosis hospital here, will be set free this week by the board of health and allowed to return to his laundry business. No one seems to think Lee ought to be segregated, although he is a leper.

City Sanitarian Nelson Elliott has advised the health board that, in his opinion, leprosy is not communicable in this climate. The widespread prejudice against persons suffering from this disease, he says, is nothing more than superstition.

SCHOOL TEACHERS WILL MEET IN CONVENTION

Session Begins at Berkeley Tuesday Next and Continues Proceedings Through Friday

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—The complete program for the convention of the California Teachers' Association to be held in this city beginning Tuesday, December 27 and closing Friday, December 30, which has just been issued, reveals an elaborate schedule of section meetings and county teachers' institute gatherings, as well as general sessions. Important topics will be discussed by prominent educators.

The general sessions are announced to take place in the afternoon at the Greek theater if the weather permits; otherwise in Harmon gymnasium, on the university campus. The forenoons are to be given over to section meetings in various university buildings.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

The social side of the convention has been well provided for by a scheduled round of banquets and entertainments, many of which will not be official and will include informal reunions of normal school friends, suppers and theater parties. The policy of the local social committee this year is to not restrict the city's guests to formal functions which must be attended en masse, but to allow freedom for breaking up into congenial parties which may seek amusement of their own choosing. Open house will be kept by the Berkeley Teachers' Association, which is to act as host to the visiting delegates. Quarters will be maintained at California hall for this purpose and several events are announced to take place at the new Hotel Shattuck.

The program in part is as follows:

WHEELER TO WELCOME GUESTS.

General Sessions.

Tuesday, 2 p. m.—Harmon gymnasium (Greek theater, weather permitting). Music, selections, William Edwin Chamberlain, baritone; address, Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president University of California; annual message, Alfred Roncovieri; address, Chester Rowell, editor Fresno Republican; nomination of officers; report of committee on method of selecting representatives to the council of education, Will C. Wood, chairman.

Wednesday, 2 p. m.—Harmon gymnasium (Greek theater, weather permitting). Music, selection, Boys' Glee Club of the Berkeley High School, religious and moral training in the public schools, Dr. George F. James, dean of the College of Education, University of Minnesota; "California's Opportunity," Duncan MacKinnon; "The Unknown Teacher and His Pupils," Dr. J. M. Greenwood, superintendent Kansas City, Mo., schools; polls open 9:30 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Thursday, 2 p. m.—Harmon gymnasium (Greek theater, weather permitting). Music; selection, the ladies' quartette, Misses Jessie M. Murray, Helen W. Thomas, Alice McComb and Eva H. Gruninger, pupils of Mrs. Carol Nicholson; "Supervision and What It Is," Dr. J. M. Greenwood; "The Spirit of a People," Dr. Geo. F. James.

Friday, 10 a. m.—Harmon gymnasium. Business meeting, report of committees. On suitable methods whereby teachers may secure positions, by D. R. Jones, chairman, on supervision of rural schools, C. N. Shayne, chairman; on industrial education, Col. Harris Weinstock, chairman, report from California Council of Education, Dr. Alexis F. Lange; report of committee on resolution, E. Morris Cox, chairman; miscellaneous business.

Council of Education.

C. C. Keyes, Oakland High School, president; Superintendent J. W. McClymonds, Oakland, secretary.

Tuesday, 9:30 a. m.—101 California hall. "The Inclusive High School," A. F. Lange, University of California; E. P. Cubberley, Stanford University; H. O. Williams, Sacramento High School; R. C. Bentley, Stanford University; W. S. Thomas, University of California; "The Upward Extension of the High School," C. L. McLane, superintendent Fresno schools; W. M. Mackay, Chico High School.

Thursday, 9:30 a. m.—101 California hall. "Athletics as an Educational Factor," G. N. Brink, Berkeley High School; G. C. Thompson, Alameda High School, "Student Control in the High School," J. H. Francis, superintendent, Los Angeles; A. J. Cloud, assistant superintendent, San Francisco; G. A. Haines, president Associated Students, U. C.; business.

Elementary Section.

W. H. De Bell, president, San Francisco. Miss Florence Boggs, secretary, Modesto.

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m.—Harmon gymnasium, 9:30, call to order; 9:35, "Moral Education in California," Prof. C. Rugh, University of California; 10:05, "School Offenses and Their Proper Punishment," Will C. Wood, superintendent schools, Alameda; 10:20, "Development of Self-respect and Respect for Authority," Dr. M. E. Blanchard, Mission High School, San Francisco, 10:35 to 10:45; intermission.

English—10:45, introduction, T. L. Heaton, deputy superintendent schools, San Francisco.

Illustrative Compositions—10:50, Miss M. F. Nelson, fourth grade; 10:57, Miss Grace Kilpatrick, sixth grade; 11:04, Mrs. Mary A. Hoogs, eighth grade.

Home Reading—Literature, 11:11, Miss Bertha E. Roberts, geography, 11:18, Miss E. E. Hansell, history, 11:25, Miss Julia M. Nepper; extensive reading, 11:32, Miss Eliza D. Keith.

Grammar—Thought relation; 11:39, Mrs. Mary L. O'Neil; vocal diagraming, 11:46, Miss Alice H. Lalande.

Thursday, 9:30 a. m.—Harmon gymnasium 9:30, "Retardation in the schools," Miss Agnes G. Regan, principal Bernal School, San Francisco; discussion; 10:00, "Causes," Mrs. Fred H. Kruse, Alameda; 10:15, "Remedies," Superintendent J. W. McClymonds, Oakland; 10:30 to 10:40, intermission; 10:40, "Play and Playgrounds," J. C. Astredo, Children's Playground Commission, San Francisco; 11:10, "The Teacher and the Public Health," Dr. Raymond Russ, State Board of Health, 11:40, "Public Health from the Teachers' Standpoint," E. Morris Cox, assistant superintendent schools, Oakland.

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION.

James Ferguson, president, San Francisco; F. H. Clark, secretary, San Francisco.

Tuesday, 9:30 a. m., Berkeley High School Auditorium—9:30, president's remarks, James Ferguson, San Francisco; 9:45, "The Lower High School," Charles L. Biederbach, Berkeley, 10:15, discussion, J. C. Templeton, Palo Alto, 10:30, discussion, A. E. Kellogg, San Francisco recess; 11, "The Six-Year High School," Dr. A. F. Lange, University of California, 11:30, discussion, Frank Morton, San Francisco.

Thursday, 9:30 a. m., Berkeley High School Auditorium—9:30, "Requirements for Teachers' Certificates in Industrial Subjects, in California," James Ferguson, San Francisco, 9:45, discussion, P. M. Fisher, Oakland, 9:55, discussion, Frank K. Barthel, San Francisco, 10:05, "Requirements for Graduation in Commercial Subjects," George Clarke, Stanford university; 10:25, discussion, Charles Murphy, San Francisco; 10:35, discussion, P. L. Graves, Berkeley; 10:45, discussion, Marshall Hale, San Francisco; 11, report on progress in the management of athletics, G. E. Mercer, Palo Alto; 11:30, business meeting.

CLASSICAL DIVISION.

Joseph M. Nourse, president, San Francisco; Miss Frances Hodgkinson, secretary, San Francisco.

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m., 16B North Hall—Report of the committee on college entrance requirements in Latin from the college point of view," Professor Leon J. Richardson, University of California; from the high school point of view, W. Fred Ellis, Stockton; discussion; "Seventh and Eighth Grade Latin," Miss Helen G. Mangels, Berkeley; "Has the Study of Greek a Future in California Schools?" Professor Edward B. Clapp, University of California, "The Case of Greek," Dr. James T. Allen, University of California; "The Present Status of Latin in the Secondary Schools of the State," Professor Elmore, Stanford university; discussion, led by Miss Alice Williston, Mountain View; election of officers.

MATHEMATICS DIVISION.

Dr. Charles A. Noble, presider, University of California, J. Fred Smith, secretary, Campbell.

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m., 110 California Hall—1, "The Berkeley Plan of the Junior High School," Professor G. C. Edwards, University of California; 2, "Geometry in the Secondary Schools," Miss Helen Watson, Hollywood high school.

Thursday, 9:30 a. m., 113 California Hall—1, paper, Professor R. L. Green, Stanford university, 2, "Significance of the History of Mathematics to the Teacher of Elementary Mathematics" (illustrated by lantern slides on the historical development of arithmetic, algebra and geometry), Dr. A. W. Stamper Chico normal, 3, election of officers.

COMMERCIAL DIVISION

P. M. Fisher, president, Oakland; A. B. Way, secretary, Petaluma.

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m., 4 North Hall—"A Two Years' Commercial Course—Its Purpose and Content," Paul L. Evans, Berkeley high school, discussion—Miss A. R. Wilder, Manual Training and Commercial high school, Oakland; Miss Belle Sheppard, San Jose high school.

Thursday, 9:30 a. m., 4 North Hall—"A Four Years' Commercial Course—Its Purpose and Content," A. B. Way, Petaluma; discussion—R. N. Faulkner, San Mateo high school; Miss Mabel E. Palmer, Berkeley high school, W. E. McLaughlin, Alameda high school, "Standards," T. L. Brecheen, Fremont high school, Oakland, election of officers.

CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS DIVISION.

G. C. Barton, president, Berkeley; H. F. Sheldon, secretary, Berkeley.

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m., 217 Chemistry Building—Part I "What did I get out of high school science? How might its value have been increased? Discussed from the standpoint of a physician, Dr. Daniel Crosby, Oakland; a lawyer, Alfred C. Traife, manager Title Guarantee and Security company, San Francisco, a clergyman, Rev. A. W. Palmer, pastor Plymouth Congregational church, Oakland; a business man, Ward Esterly, Esterly Construction company, Berkeley; Perry Tompkins, manager Masser-McDuffie company, Berkeley; reviewed by a teacher, Lewis B. Avery, principal San Jose high school. Part II. Lecture: "Liquid Air," Dr. H. C. Bladie, University of California.

INSANE SHOPPERS CARRY OFF HONORS

Show Better Judgment in Selecting Gifts Than Do Less Unfortunate.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—Superintendent J. Atkins of the City Hospital for the Insane believes that insane persons show better judgment than most shoppers in making their Christmas purchases. He is conducting an interesting series of experiments by permitting ten of his patients each day to mingle with shoppers in big department stores.

"The women bring their purchases to us for inspection," he said yesterday. "And I find that in almost every case they have bought real bargains.

Each group of patients is escorted through the downtown district by an attendant. The attendant does not wear the garb of a nurse, and there is nothing about her charges to indicate whence they come. Dr. Atkins says the shopping outings have had a salutory effect on those who have been permitted to indulge in them.

Normal shoppers do not know they are rubbing elbows with the insane, and since the experiments began a week ago there has not been a case in which a patient did anything to attract attention to her mental infirmity.

SEATTLE'S RECALL PETITION FILED

SEATTLE, Dec. 23.—The petition of the recall of Mayor Hiram C. Gill was found last night to contain more than enough names to insure the holding of a recall election after the first of the year. The checking of 10,741 names of men has been finished by the city comptroller's clerks, and of that number 872 have been pronounced correct and 1869 have been marked for second inspection. Under the charter provision a portion of 8670 voters is sufficient to invoke the recall.

The total number of signatures on the call petition, according to the comptroller's experts, is 11,443, of which 702 are the signatures of women voters. The signatures of the women have not been checked.

DR. FLEXNER SURVIVES A SERIOUS OPERATION

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 — Dr. Simon Flexnor, head of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, left the Presbyterian Hospital today after an operation for appendicitis December 3.

ARREST CHURCH HEAD.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23. — Theodore Ostrowski, former treasurer of the Polish Roman Catholic Union, was arrested yesterday for alleged embezzlement of $92,000 of the society's funds. He was released on $5000 bonds.

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CONGRESS DUE TO BREAK RECORDS

Nearly 35,000 Bills Will Have Been Introduced by Time House Closes.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—All records will be broken when the present House of Representatives scores a total of approximately 35,000 public and private bills introduced up to its close on March 4 next. This is a leap of more than 7500 over the record established by the last Congress, the Sixtieth. These figures are exclusive of resolutions, which so far in the three sessions of the present Congress have numbered 863 simple resolutions 278 joint resolutions and 56 concurrent.

Back in the earlier Congresses there were comparatively few measures presented, but with the extension of the sway of the American flag to various insular possessions, and with the host of river and harbor and public buildings developments, with pet projects for a multitude of streams, almost never before heard of, the bulk of bills and resolutions has been increasing rapidly.

In the Fifty-fourth Congress, 10,000 bills were introduced, outdistancing all other records. This was raised by a thousand a little later and four years ago the House files were flooded with 21,000 bills. During the two preceding sessions of this Congress 27,264 bills were presented, and up to today the present session has registered 3611. A flood of measures probably will be introduced in the few days following the reassembling of Congress on January 5, and then the tide will recede.

BERI BERI ATTACKS STEAMER'S CREW

One Dead, Another Dying and Four Seriously Ill of Oriental Disease.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 23.—One man is dead, another is in the city hospital in a dying condition and four others are seriously ill of beri beri, the peculiar oriental disease, which broke out on the British steamship Beachy early this week.

The disease came to the attention of the health authorities when Arsal Ali, a Hindu sailor on the steamer, died Tuesday night. An investigation was made which resulted in the removal of Onget Ali, another Hindu, to the municipal hospital for treatment. He is not expected to survive. It is asserted that four other men on the Beachy are ill of the disease.

Dr. E. G. Heg, state health commissioner, has notified the federal authorities of the appearance of the disease on Puget Sound, and the men of the Beachy, which is now at Tacoma loading lumber, will be looked after by the marine hospital service. The steamer recently arrived from China with a cargo of iron ore.

THREE KILLED WHEN TRAIN HITS WRECK

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Three trainmen lost their lives and one passenger was injured on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Millstone Junction, near New Brunswick, N. J., yesterday, when two freight trains, west bound, collided and a passenger train bound for Philadelphia crashed into the wreckage.

Mrs. Dora Ravalo of Philadelphia was the only passenger badly hurt. After being taken to the hospital at New Brunswick she gave birth to a child.

CENSUS STATISTICS SHOW GREAT GROWTH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Population statistics of the thirteenth census issued by the census bureau include the following places:

Place.	1910	1900
Iowa:		
Burlington	24,324	23,201
Keokuk	14,008	14,641
Marshalltown	13,374	11,544
Muskatine	16,178	14,073
Ottumwa	22,021	18,197
South Dakota:		
Aberdeen	10,753	4,087
Lead	8,392	6,210
Sioux Falls	14,094	10,266

U. S. TO MAKE EFFORT TO CURB COLORADO

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Oscar Lawler, assistant for the Interior Department, left for Mexico City last evening to try to bring about expedition in the negotiations with the government there for the permit for the United States government to enter upon Mexican soil to build the twenty-five-mile levee that is to curb the Colorado river in Lower California. When this mission to the Mexican capital is accomplished, Lawler will proceed to Yuma and get the great undertaking started. Engineer Ockerson is at Yuma with plans ready and men and material assembled. It is important to have the work done by spring to insure a water supply for the Imperial Valley next summer.

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